

GRA Board Seeks County-wide 1/4 Mill

By Jon Thompson

The Grayling Recreation Authority voted 9-0 last Wednesday to recommend to the county board they place a one-quarter mill approval for Hanson Hills on the November ballot.

The county board of commissioners are expected to vote on the three-year county-wide millage request at their August 30 regular meeting.

The county commissioners earlier passed a motion 6-1 asking the GRA board to consider trying for a one-quarter mill in November

before abandoning the park. Beth Wieland, one of two county representatives on the board, said it is likely the board will approve the GRA request to place the millage proposal on the November ballot.

At the special GRA meeting August 22, attended by about 90 persons, most of the discussion centered around trying for a millage county-wide or just in the city and Grayling Township.

Proponents of the city-township millage felt it had a better chance of passing. Those in favor of the county-

wide millage were concerned about problems they felt a city-township millage would create.

Nick Shureff said you don't cut off the right arm to help the left arm. Someday we may need the other five townships participating in the park, he said.

Jerry Morford asked what would happen if only one unit passed a city-township millage and the other didn't. He also said a city-township millage would cause problems on the GRA board which has two representatives from the city, town-

ship, county, and schools, and one at-large representative.

It was also brought out a county-wide millage would ask for one-quarter mill and a city-township request would have to ask for a one-half mill.

Pauline Petrosky and Mike Branch said they represented the school district which covers the entire county and therefore would prefer the county-wide millage. Wieland and Randy Thompson, representing the county, both said they felt the county commissioners would be in favor of a county-wide millage.

Frank Barber said he thought passing the county-wide millage would be more work but it was the best choice. Monica Stephan Ash-ton also was for a county-wide proposal if that is what the people wanted, & Marty VanDeVen said he thought the city-township millage was a sure thing but after listening to most of the people at the meeting, he felt they wanted a county-wide proposal.

Ex-officio board member Bob Hickey said he felt a county-wide millage wouldn't pass so the only way to save Hanson Hills

was to try for a city-township millage. Another ex-officio member, Rodger Anger, said the board ought to consider the risk of losing a county-wide millage. He added that whatever direction the board takes, Weyerhaeuser will try to help the park in any way it can.

Bud Hunter said the chances of a millage passing are greater in the city and Grayling Township and Barbara Hunter said she doesn't think a quarter mill for Hanson Hills will pass county-wide.

John Huss said most users of the park are from the city and Grayling Township and you can't blame the other townships for not supporting it. Huss pointed out the recreation millage in August lost by 70 percent in the outlying townships.

The county-wide quarter mill, if approved by voters,

will raise approximately \$48,500 a year for the park starting in December of 1985. Morford said if the millage passes, the park would have to be held together with chewing gum until the tax money starting coming in. The park's yearly budget is about \$100,000. The other \$50,000 in revenues is expected to come through ski fees, rental equipment, and other park fundraisers.

VanDeVen reported at the start of the special meeting that the Kiwanis pledge of \$1,500 still stands, the Booster Club approved \$1,000, and the Ben Franklin Family Center wrote off the bill the park owed. He also said he received many calls offering donations of money and labor.

Curt Jansen turned in \$525 he had collected for the park. See Hanson Park on Page 18



OPEN FAIR — Barbara Jean Crandall, Miss Michigan 1984, and Shawn Lovely, Miss Grayling 1984, officially opened the 1984 Crawford County Fair, which drew 4500 persons Friday to Sunday. Crandall's ventriloquist acts and Lovely's dance performance were the highlights of the fair's stage shows Friday. (Jon Thompson photo)

9th News Here!

3 Guards Charged with
Armed Robbery, Assault

Three Indiana national guardsmen were arrested in connection with an armed robbery, two felonious assaults, and four attempted armed robberies. Sheriff deputies said another Indiana guard is a suspect in the two separate incidents involving eight Indiana guards as victims. One guard victim was treated at Mercy Hospital for stab wounds and released. The two incidents occurred at Camp Grayling.

Indiana Guard Held on Rape Charge

A 21-year-old Indiana national guardsman is being charged with 1st degree criminal sexual assault in connection with a rape of a Crawford County resident. The assault occurred about 10:40 p.m. Saturday, August 22, at Camp Grayling. The suspect's name is being withheld until arraignment in 83rd District Court.

Early Copy Deadline

All display advertisements and local news items for the September 6th issue of the Avalanche must be turned in by Noon Friday, August 31. The Avalanche office will be closed Monday, September 3rd, due to the Labor Day Holiday.

City Police Catch Forgery Suspect

Grayling City Police arrested Robert Kage, 18, of Roscommon, on a charge of larceny in a building and forgery of stolen checks. Kage was arrested August 23rd while allegedly attempting to pass a forged check. He was arraigned in 83rd District Court Friday, Aug. 24, on larceny in a building and eight counts of uttering and publishing forged checks. The arrest came after a two-month investigation. Bond was set at \$2,500 for each of the nine charges.

Stolen Three-Wheeler Found

The Crawford County Sheriff Dept. recovered a stolen three-wheel motor bike in woods along F-97 about a mile south of Lovells. Any person knowing information about someone riding the 1976 purple Yamaha can call the anonymous tip line 348-6341 ext. 3000.

Police warnings circulated in the community apparently scared off a person identifying himself as a surveyor from the local school district. The subject with brown hair, mustache, and glasses was driving a car with a Rhode Island license plate. He allegedly was telling homeowners he was conducting a survey for the school district but local school officials had not authorized any survey. Police warnings were issued August 22 asking residents to call the city police or sheriff dept. No additional sightings on the man were reported.

Muscular Dystrophy Fundraiser Sept. 1

A dunk tank and a yard sale will highlight a Muscular Dystrophy fundraiser all-day event at the Grayling 7-Eleven Saturday, Sept. 1. Chris Glander, Paul Smith, and Karl Schreiner will be among the honored guests hitting the water for the dunk tank. Activities start at 10 a.m.

LMPOA Meeting Sat., Sept. 1st

There will be a meeting of the Lake Margrethe Property Owners Association on Saturday, Sept. 1st at 10:00 a.m. at St. Francis Church, M-72 West. Officers will meet at 9:00 a.m.

Range Firing Conducted

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling during the period 29 Aug 84 thru 5 Sept 84.

The Range 40 Complex located north of County Rd 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd 618 and west of County Rd F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin at 9:00 AM (Daily) and cease at 5:00 PM (Daily).

The ranges will be closed to the public during these periods and all persons are warned to keep out of the areas identified.

Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Flick)

Aug.	Hi	Lo
21	85	51
22	85	53
23	72	49
24	78	36
25	83	35
26	84	42
27	75	62



Crawford County students will start school Wednesday, September 5, as both the Crawford AuSable School District and Gerrish-Higgins School District open doors the same day.

Wednesday will be a full session of classes for students in the two districts. The Crawford AuSable district covers the city of Grayling, Grayling Township, Lovells Township, Maple Forest Township, Frederic Township, about half of Beaver Creek Township, and small parts of Otsego and Kalkaska counties.

About half of Beaver Creek Township and all of South Branch Township is located in Gerrish-Higgins School District.

Grayling High School classes will run from 9 a.m. to 3:25 p.m., Grayling Middle School classes from 8:50 a.m. to 3:10 p.m., Frederic Elementary classes from 8:50 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Grayling Elementary classes from 8:50 a.m. to 2:55 p.m.

Kindergarten classes at both elementary school are half-day session from 8:50 to

11:35 a.m. or 12:10 p.m. to 2:55 p.m.

Parents in the Crawford AuSable School District will also be mailed a school calendar including dates of all events as well as information about school operations. The Gerrish-Higgins School District also has a calendar covering the full school year of events.

For more Crawford AuSable School District information see page 11 or call 348-7841. For more information about the Gerrish-Higgins School District call 275-5800.

Curriculum Plans Top
List for '84-'85 Goals

Curriculum goals headed the list for Crawford AuSable School District priorities outlined by the board of education and an administrative team during their annual workshop held Aug. 6.

Among six areas - curriculum, administration, business, personnel, board of education operations, and community relations - curriculum goals outnumbered the rest.

The school board and administrative team gave 12 curriculum goals high priority when they formally adopted the 1984-85 school district priority goals.

The 12 high priority curriculum goals are the following:

- * Review graduation requirements and make any necessary revisions.

- * Implement the newly adopted grades 6 - 8 science curriculum, evaluate the newly implemented K-5 science curriculum, and complete development of a fully articulated K-12 science curriculum.

- * Continue improving library facilities and services at Grayling Elementary.

- * Evaluate pre-vocational programs at middle school and develop an implementation plan based on findings.

- * Develop a clearly defined promotion/retention

policy including programs for the retained.

- * Develop a process for reviewing and revising the district homework policy.

- * Review K-5 adopted curriculum objectives and consolidate by grade level identifying educational management techniques.

- * Implement revisions in gifted/talented program.

- * Implement the newly adopted K-8 computer education curriculum and complete the fully articulated K-12 curriculum in computer science.

- * Evaluate the grades 6-8 language arts curriculum and complete the fully articulated K-12 language arts curriculum.

- * Complete the K-12 reading and mathematics K-12 curriculum and testing program.

- * Check into formal accreditation at middle school and elementary levels and pursue North Central Accreditation at GHS.

Self Insurance
Pays for County

Joining the Michigan Association of Counties Self-Insurance Fund has paid off for Crawford County. Although Crawford has only belonged to the self-insurance group for two years, last week it received a rebate for \$14,364.

The rebate was for the workman's compensation portion of the self-insurance fund and it was part of \$586,000 given back to counties throughout the state belonging to the MAC program.

Commissioners Mary Harland and Larry Mattis picked up the rebate check at the 88th annual MAC meeting at Sugarloaf Mountain after the MAC Board of Directors

voted to give the surplus back to the individual counties. Mattis is a member of the board of directors.

While at the annual meeting, Mattis also worked on the MAC Resolutions Committee as a board of directors member and he acted as moderator during a workshop featuring attorney Peter Kohl answering questions about Open Meetings laws and conflict of interest rulings.

In addition, Mattis chaired a Region II delegate caucus meeting - part of four region caucus meetings that was attended by 53 out of 102 eligible county commissioners from around the state.

Harland chaired the MAC Mental Health Committee meeting at the annual meeting where they decide on work programs.

The two Crawford County commissioners also attended the three MAC general sessions featuring Mitch Irwin, 37th District state senator, state representatives, and other state officials. Among the workshops they attended during the three-day meeting were Voters Choice, a look at the effect this ballot proposal will have on counties; Counties Involved in Part-Time Probate Judges; Resource Recovery in Michigan; Barrier Free Laws Review - Federal Revenue Sharing; Current Trends in Labor Arbitration; Health Care Cost Containment; Model Life Services System, and "Has the Phase Out of General Revenue Sharing Begun?"

Stockton 2nd
At Nationals

Brett Stockton, 21, of Grayling and Matt Stribe, 20, of Bristol, Indiana, came within a few seconds of becoming the 1984 National Canoe Race champions.

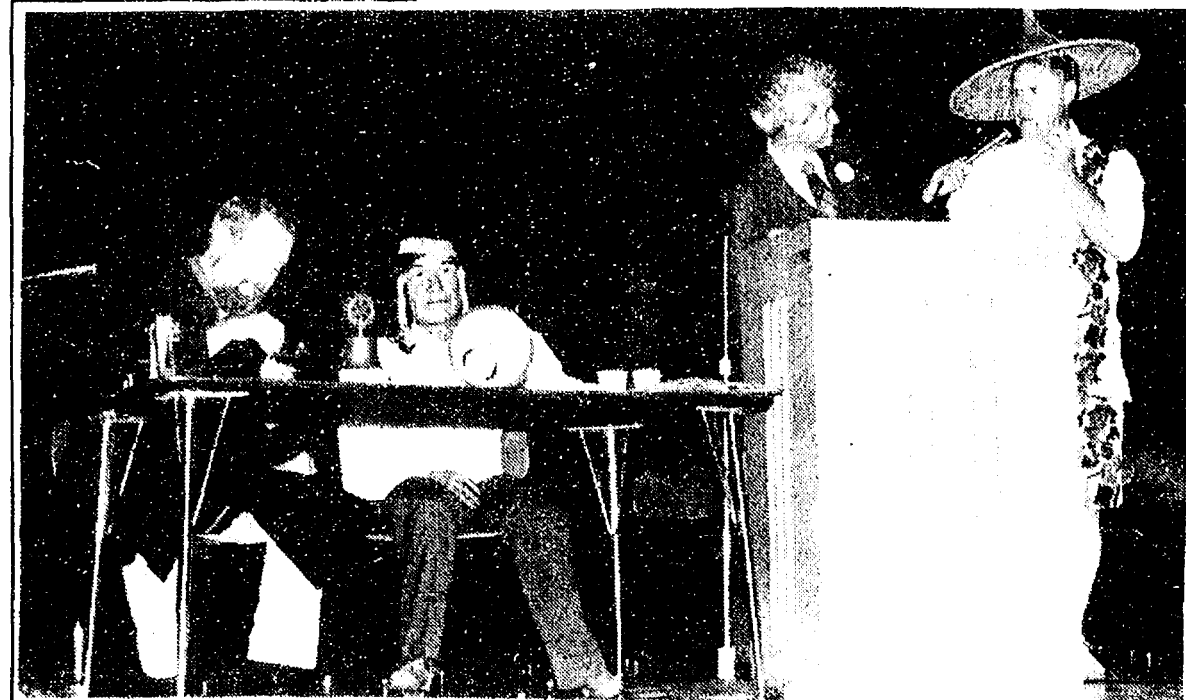
They finished a close third behind Olympic bronze medalist in the Kayak competition, Greg Barton, and his brother, Bruce. Second place was taken by Mike Fries, (Freeze) the 1982 world champion, and his partner, Alan Rudquist.

Finishing over 3 minutes ahead of a field of around 75 canoes, the top 3 teams were in constant contention for first place.

The United States is hoping to include a C-2 competition, such as this, in future Olympic games. If such an event was to be held, the top 3 teams in the Nationals would have qualified for the Olympic team.



ALL HAIL CECIL B. DESTANCIL — The Grayling Rotary Club, with members acting as servants carrying George Stancil on a palanquin led by drummers, made the grandest entrance to the 1st annual Trivial Pursuit Olympics held last Thursday to raise money to restore the Grayling railroad depot. Entry fees from more than 30 contestants representing businesses and clubs along with spectator tickets netted more than \$1200. (Yon Yonson photos)



TRIVIA CHAMP — Battling Bonnie Yates, representing Northern National Bank, outlasted 30 contestants to win the \$100 first prize in the Trivial Pursuit Olympics, which he donated to the depot renovation. Maureen McNamara, representing the Grayling Promotional Association, came in second and Dave Dirksen, representing Hartwick Pines, came in third.

Box Car Blues Worry 2 Guards,
Help Catch 3 Robbery Suspects

By Jon Thompson

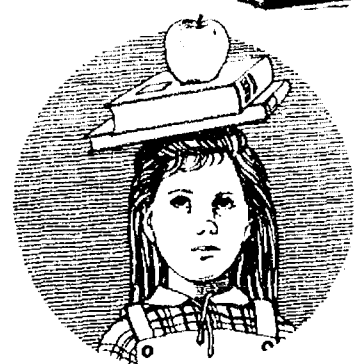
Two Indiana guardsmen were robbed at knifepoint, tied with their belts, and locked in a railroad boxcar near downtown Grayling last Friday. When the guards were unable to escape from the boxcar after more than three hours, the alleged robbers became worried and went to the police saying they heard noises in the boxcar. When the Grayling City Police opened the railroad boxcar, the two guards were shaken by the experience and thankful. The guards later identified the "concerned citizens" who had heard noises from the boxcar as the robbers.

Three male suspects were apprehended and gave statements to the police. Two suspects, ages 17 and 18, are local and the third male suspect, age 25, is from downstate. A fourth suspect, believed to be 23 or 24 years old, is still being sought. Two local girls, both age 17, are also believed involved in the incident. Names of the suspects are being withheld pending warrants and arraignments. The guards were robbed about 10:30 p.m. near the railroad bridge by the courthouse and locked in a boxcar parked near the bridge. The guards were robbed of their wallets containing \$70 and a paycheck and some of their clothes.



REBATE WORTH \$14,364 — Crawford County commissioners Mary Harland and Larry Mattis present Crawford County Treasurer Joe Wakeley with a check for \$14,364, a rebate from the Michigan Association of Counties Self-Insurance Fund.

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From Our Corner...



Batten down the hatches, the summer of '84 is rapidly coming to a close...in case you haven't checked the calendar, Labor Day starts off next week with the thought of autumn in the air for northern Michigan...the time of year the pace seems to slow down from the hectic days of the summer months and brings possibly the most beautiful time of the year when the leaves begin to change and the beauty of the landscape is something to behold...the only problem with autumn is that it just doesn't last long enough and we are faced with the bleak days of winter...snowstorms, sub zero weather, frustration when the car won't start, frustration with all the snow that has to be put some place out of the way...dang it all, what gruesome thoughts...also during autumn are the pessimists with their predictions of a severe winter to the optimist who predicts an open winter...we have lived in northern Michigan too long to believe any of the so-called omens that decide what kind of weather we will have for the months of winter...all we know is that it lasts too long...

Now that the Republican National Convention has become history, and the mud has already began to fly between President Reagan and challenger Mondale for the highest office in the land, and bitter words are thrown out by candidates for national, state and county offices it again has come time to give out the policy of "Letters to the Editor" in the Avalanche that pertain to the election of all office seeking hopefuls...

Starting this week, an individual will have but one letter to the Editor's Mailbox that pertains to any aspect to that individuals seeking of an office will be published...this also pertains to any other person writing for or against a candidate seeking election...any other publication will be a paid advertisement and will be so designated...no letters will be accepted three weeks prior to the election November 6th by a candidate or individual concerning another candidate...we still reserve the right to edit each and every letter whether it pertains to the election or not...

We mention about the election letters because of what we received during the primaries...many found their way into file 13...

We received a "Letter to the Editor" in the mail Monday morning and usually we set them aside until the following week so we have more time to look them over but, because this one was taking the ol' fella to task we decided to run it this week so the writer wouldn't have to wait a whole week to see if we would publish it...just because a letter is written against our thinking is no reason for us to withhold it...in fact we don't mind, like the saying goes, we have thick skin, and I'm not about to sue myself over a "Letter to the Editor"...it is when people write about another person we have to watch it, that is except politicians who are fair game as an elected office holder...that is, within reason...you will find the letter in the Editor's Mailbox elsewhere in this issue...

We don't normally write about a person in our column who is moving away from Grayling but, we make an exception this week...we do this about Mike Delp leaving the Grayling School system to take a job at Interlochen near Traverse City...Buzz, as we call him worked for us a couple summers and through that we sort of have a soft spot in the ol' fella's heart possibly because he reminds us of our own son Dane, they are close to the same age and have a lot of similarity in their thinking...Buzz also has written a column from time to time that we have published, which at times was contradictory, but that is the way he is...we'll miss his stopping in from time to time and wish him well in his new job...the more I think about Buzz and Dane it is a good thing they didn't work for the Avalanche at the same time or I'm afraid it would have had to go underground...take care Buzz...

This takes care of this week's turkey (sorry, D.O.D.) so we will bid T.J., Stefany and Amber goodnight, and to all of our readers have a fun filled safe and sane Labor Day weekend...we want you as a reader of the Avalanche next week, and not be a statistic...

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago August 31, 1961

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver of Frederic announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Yvonne Irene, to Mr. Jerry Allen Pratt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warner Pratt of Grayling. An October wedding is planned. Yvonne graduated from Frederic High School last June, as Salutatorian of her class. She has been employed at the Underground Forest this summer. Jerry graduated from Grayling High School in 1958, and is employed by the County Highway Dept. at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bovee, Billie and Dena, and Fenn and Jack Welch, made a trip through the Soo Locks on Saturday. Saturday night they met Mr. and Mrs. Les Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Welch and family, to stay at Newberry, and on Sunday all made the 6 mile trip on the Toonerville Trolley and the 21 mile trip up the Tahquamenon River to the Falls, all returning home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Carlson, Cindi, Julie, Christine and Richard left Sunday for Battle Creek and Chicago to visit relatives planning to return home via Wisconsin and the U.P. camping along the way.

Mrs. Kip Papendick and Mrs. Jim Bond planned a surprise birthday party for their mother, Mrs. Byron Randolph, Wednesday afternoon of last week. A dozen ladies were gathered at the Randolph home when Mrs. Randolph walked in the door. She was greeted by a beautifully decorated birthday cake made by Mrs. Papendick in the form of a hat, placed on a pedestal which played "Happy Birthday" to her as she walked in the door. After opening her gifts, Mrs. Randolph and her guests enjoyed refreshments and visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rosin and children left Tuesday after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Roy Milnes, going back to their home at Portales, N. Mexico after spending the summer as camp counselors in Wisconsin. Last Friday and Saturday the Rosins and Mrs. Milnes visited the Roy Milnes, Jr., family at East Tawas.

The Dr. Arnold Rotermund family have returned to their home in Breckenridge after spending the summer at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

Miss Donna Jean Weaver entertained 23 boys and girls at a birthday party given by her mother. Donna had a very nice party and received many nice and very useful gifts.

The Bruce Smiths, Irving McIsaacs, Ward Ellisons, Lewis Stillwagons, Les Welches, Don Fergusons and the Ralph Hoffmans enjoyed a swimming party Tuesday of last week at the AuSable Ranch and Ski Resort, with an outdoor supper afterwards.

46 Years Ago September 1, 1938

It took thirteen innings to decide the fracas between the Grayling Merchants and the Mackinac Islanders last Sunday at the Island, the game ending with the boys at the Island being victorious by a score of 7 to 6.

John Henry and Corky Peterson spent

the weekend visiting in Saginaw, guests of Jack Wright.

Mrs. Stanley Stephan of Saginaw spent a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Randolph, returning to her home Monday.

Axel Jorgenson of Detroit is here this week for his annual visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Rasmussen. Mr. Jorgenson and Mr. and Mrs. Rasmussen enjoyed the sights at Mackinac Island Saturday.

Mrs. Leo Koerper returned to her home in Detroit last week, after a visit with her aunt, Miss Jane Ingley and uncle Tom Ingley at Lake Margrethe.

Bill Downer of Bay City is vacationing at Lake Margrethe, the guest of his uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. C.R. Keyport.

Mrs. T.P. Peterson and daughter Miss Beatrice, accompanied by Misses Jerrine Peterson and Virginia Charron, were in Mt. Pleasant on business Saturday.

Jack McClain and Bill Moshier spent Sunday at Mackinac Island.

Nels Olson, has arrived at Los Angeles, Calif., and writes that he likes the west so much he hopes to remain there for some time.

Mrs. Martha McMasters-Pearsall has been spending a few days at Riverside Resort, looking over the property she recently donated for an old age home. It will be known as Martha's Haven of Rest.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Collen and the former's mother, Mrs. Charles Amidon left for Alaska Wednesday to spend the winter, and to visit Mrs. Amidon's son Carl Collen and family who reside there.

69 Years Ago September 2, 1915

Amid relatives and a host of friends, on Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock occurred the marriage of Miss Althea Neilsen to Mr. William Heric at St. Mary's Church. Rev. Fr. J.J. Riess officiated at the ceremony, which was very impressive. Miss Lilas Cassidy acted as bridesmaid and Joseph Cassidy as groomsmen.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hendrie spent several days in Detroit, returning Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Jensen left Monday for Shelbyville, Ill., to enjoy a two weeks vacation with her parents and friends.

Miss Laura Simpson left last week for Laurium, Mich., in the upper peninsula to continue her duties as teacher in the school's there.

Mrs. Frank Ahman and son Henry and daughter Lily are visiting at the home of Mrs. Constance Johnson in Beaver Creek.

M. Weingard, a nephew of Hyman Joseph, arrived here last week from New York and is about to open a merchant tailoring establishment in the building formerly occupied by the Deckrow plumbing shop near the G.A.R. Hall.

James Hartwick and wife of Detroit are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson & other friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Gothro on August 27th, an eight pound boy.

The Avalanche — Your Want Ad Paper

The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

THE MOST "HUMAN" right of all

"Many of the staunchest advocates of 'human rights' heap scorn and abuse on a very fundamental right - to private property. While advocating human rights in the abstract, they champion rent control, anti-condominium conversion laws, minimum wage laws, and other assaults on private property. Some of these people even view property rights as being in conflict with human rights and place a higher value on the latter - failing to see the elemental truth that no society can guarantee freedom to its citizens unless it respects some notion of personal property."

"It's startling to realize how dependent other basic rights are upon the protection of property rights. Take freedom of the press. How significant would our constitutional guarantee of freedom of the press be if the government were the sole owner of all the printing presses and newsprint in the country? The right of freedom of the press is predicated upon the right to private property - at least the newsprint, press, and ink. What happens to the right to peaceably assemble or to worship if every building, meeting place, or outdoor area is designated 'public property'?"

"Under natural law, individuals own themselves. From this it follows that an individual has the right to any material goods he produces and to dispose of these goods as he sees fit. But this right is violated when government 'redistributes' income."

Politicians say that all Americans have a right to food, shelter, and decent medical care. But what they are really saying is that some people have the right to take my money, through governmental coercion, and give it to others. I would like to know: Under what interpretation of 'human rights' do some people have the

right to take what another man has produced?

"...Human rights' are property rights. Property rights are human rights. The two are inexorably intertwined. When the state coerces parents to send their children to schools not of their own choosing, human rights are violated. When government inflates the currency so that hard working Americans can no longer maintain a decent standard of living, it is a violation of human rights. When the government forces firms to hire people that they otherwise would not hire, it is a violation of human rights. One can easily expand the list." The above article was written by Walter Williams, syndicated journalist.

While the above truth applies to all humans in America, Christians recognize that all creation belongs to God alone. We are merely stewards. We are the government, and when we permit special interest groups to pass legislation to redistribute wealth, murder babies through abortion, and teach our youth to be anti-Christian Humanists, we are permitting legalized robbery of our life, our wealth, and our moral values. Our way of life is slipping away. We must choose between God and government as our master.

Pastor Barnett
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- ★ The term "burden of proof" refers to the requirement that the plaintiff in a civil case, or the prosecutor in a criminal case, has to prove the allegations of their respective complaints
- ★ The burden of proof is different in a civil case than it is in a criminal case.
- ★ In a civil case, the plaintiff must prove his or her case by a mere preponderance of the evidence. In other words, the scales need only tip slightly in the plaintiff's or defendant's favor to prevail, and the plaintiff has the burden of going forward with the case
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GARAGE SALE—204 Park St., August 30 & 31st, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Kids clothes, 25 cents each and misc. -30-

YARD SALE—August 30th and 31st and Sept. 1st. Too much to tell about, on Timber Trail off Staley Lake Road. Between 72-East and 4 Mile Rd. -30-

HUGE GARAGE & YARD SALE — September 1st, 2nd & 3rd. Starts at 9:00 a.m. Hundreds of items, antiques and collectables, knick-knacks, glassware, kitchen items, green hide-a-bed and matching green chair, dressers, chairs, marble top cocktail table, lamps, pictures, small desk lots of mens and womens clothes, shoes, coats, purses, mens downhill skis, jewelry, camera, slide projector, movie projector, playpen, crib & mattress (like new), blankets, large Sears Chest Freezer, bedspreads, curtains, books, magazines, 3" x 3" used lumber (great for building a new shed), lawn chairs, old wheelbarrow, Christmas items, blower motor & fan, Craftsman lawn mower, 16 ft. Chrysler boat, motor & trailer. Something for everyone. Forrest Road (1st road west of Lake Valley Road, off of M-72, one mile East of Dingman's Bar, Kalkaska) (616) 258-2609. -30-

MOVING SALE

Corner Hide-A-Bed, Chairs, End Tables, Antique Marble Top Table, Antique Cut Glass, Antique small tables, many other furniture pieces, garden tools, new lawn mower, hoses, kitchen utensils, and other household items. Friday & Saturday, Aug. 31, & Sept. 1st. 9 to 6. No Early Sales. 502 Plum St. Grayling. -30-

GARAGE SALE — Aug. 30th, 31st, and Sept. 2nd and 3rd. 9:00 a.m. until ? New & used, something for everyone. 6 miles out on M-72 East. -30-

GARAGE SALE — Mimi Wilson, Wakeley Bridge Road, Thurs., Fri., Sat. 30th, 31st, and Sept. 1st. 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. (No Early Sales Please) Clothes for all seasons, childrens & Adults. Tables - Lamps - Chairs, Sofa, two refrigerators, dryer, stereo, reel to reel tape player, record cabinet and much more, 10 miles on 72 East, new this year kids corner. -30-

YARD SALE—Housewares, bedding, furniture and lots more, first lane south of Lovells off F-97, 9 to 5 Friday and Saturday, Aug. 31st & Sept. 1st. Follow Signs. -30-

LARGE YARD SALE—Thurs., Fri., Sat. 809 Michigan Avenue, all proceeds go to Crawford County Right to Life. Donations welcome. -30-

GARAGE SALE—1007 Ogema, Sept. 1st, 9:00 to 6:00, boys clothes, size 14; 2 winter coats, girls clothes coffee table & misc. -30-

CLEARANCE GARAGE SALE Rain or Shine, Dresser, 5 piece fireplace set, toddlers car seat, lots of mark down & miscellaneous. Fri., Aug. 31st, 12:00 - 6:00, Sat., Sept. 1st, 10:00 - 6:00, M-72 East to Chase Bridge Rd., Watch for Signs. -30-

BIG YARD SALE—30, 31, 1, 2, 3, Fireplace Heaters, Bath Tubs and Sinks, Windows, Winter Clothes, Building Materials, Tools & lots & lots of misc. 6 mile east on 72, 1 mile north on Stephan Road. -30-

MOVING SALE — Sept. 1, 2 & 3rd. 10 to 5, County Road 612, corner of M-93 and White Rd. Maple Forest Twp. Something for everyone. No Early Sales. -30-

YARD SALE—Aug. 31 to Sept. 3rd. 8 HP Roto Tiller, Reel type mower, tool & die makers tools, gemstone picture kits, and much more. Wakeley Bridge Rd. South of North Down River Rd. 1/4 mile. -30-

LOW PRICE GARAGE SALE 209 Arthur St., Grayling Township, Thurs., Fri. & Sat. August 29, 30, 31, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Car Top Carrier, medium size work clothes, hunting and fishing and more. -30-

GARAGE SALE — 100 Hea Lane, across from Millikin Excavating, Thurs., Fri., 9 to 5. Ski Vest, Tent, Stereo, Tupperware, Infant Clothes, Canning Jars, Kitchen Ware. -30-

YARD SALE — 30, 31, & 1st, North Down River Rd. to Headquarters Rd. to Richardson Rd, Watch for Signs. Caslo-Ord, tools, dishes, clothes, lots of misc. -30-

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE Executive desk and swivel chair, table 2 leaves and 6 chairs, Rittenhouse furniture, antique gas range, very small, old dolls, Hoosier style cabinet, tilt top table, FALL SALE STARTS NOW. Beehive Antique & Flea Market, 528 South 5th, Roscommon, Ph. 275-5643. -30-

GARAGE SALE — Danish Landing Rd. Friday Only 9 to 3. Girls 10-12, Ladies 14-16 clothes, life jackets, furniture, misc. -30-

ANTIQUES - OTHER STUFF Friday - Sunday, Starting August 31, 10 to 6. Old crocks, silver, furniture. Loads of kitchen items, Mr. Coffee, blender, iron, flatware, dishes, pots, pans, canisters, car-top carrier, trailer mirrors, baby bassinets, 2-single beds, electric motors, ice skates (L-9), hand and misc. tools, ladies golf clubs. Garden tools, lamps, games, pictures, handbags, decorator items, fans, medicine cabinet, sleeping bags, bedding, king spread, girls 3-speed, sewing machine, old trunk, books, traverse rods, new trumpet. Big selection. Harlequins, street skates (8), cassette recorder, antique radio, oil lanterns and glass lamps. Owl collection, Suzuki 550 (1972). 18-foot Merc-Stern cruiser with trailer. 7078 AuSable, 1/3 mile North off 72-West. -30-

GARAGE SALE—Wednesday August 29th. 17 miles N. M-72 on Manistee River Road. Dining room table and chairs, assorted sizes of insulated windows and doors, clothes dryer and space heater, etc. -30-

3 FAMILY SALE — Sat., Sun., Mon., Sept. 1, 2, 3, 9 to 5, 8 miles out M-72 West, just past Manistee River Bridge. 6 x 8 trailer with 4 ft. slides, ski boots, stereo set, speakers, radios for car, flash lights, fishing equipment, planters, metal storage cabinets, furniture, teen age clothes, snowmobiles, felt packs, dog accessories, canning jars, hair curlers and dryers of all kinds. Many car top carriers, for sports and other use. Many other items from household of growing families. -30-

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25th Wedding Anniversary Celebration Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burden of Lovells, Michigan will renew their wedding vows on September 15, 1984 at 3:00 p.m. at Mt. Hope Lutheran Church. A celebration will follow at Lovells Township Hall. Everyone is cordially invited. For more information if you plan to attend please call Julie at 348-7226 by September 4th.

AKC DOBERMAN — 8 year old spayed female, must sell, make offer. Ph. 348-7331. -30-

FOR RENT—2 Bedroom house in city, rent-plus deposit and utilities. Call evenings 348-2534. -8/21ft.

FOR SALE — 1973 DODGE, 4 wheel drive For Parts. Call 348-6811, ask for Rena, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., after 6:00 p.m. 275-5446. -6/28ft.

FOR SALE—'77 Honda Accord, new paint, 5 speed, new front brakes and bearings, very clean inside, good MPG, \$3,000.00 or Best Offer. 348-8734. -23-30-6-13-

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FOR RENT — Lake Margrethe Mobile Home, 3 Bedroom, furnished without linens. Weekly or monthly. 517-655-4406 after 5:00, weekdays 348-8166. -30-6-13-20-

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FOR SALE — Pick-up, 1978 Ford half ton, 6 cylinder, 3 speed, radio, new tires, new shocks, good condition. \$2,950.00. Ph. 348-2481, after 4:00 p.m. -30-6-

HOUSE FOR RENT — 3 Bedroom with Michigan basement, located in city, natural gas, fenced in backyard, \$275.00 per month. References and security deposit, 732-3545 or 348-5474, ask for Diane. -30-6-

FOR RENT — Furnished 1 Bedroom Apartment. All utilities paid. \$240.00 per month. Sorry No Pets, 8 miles east on M-72. Ph. 348-8405. -8/27ft.

FOR RENT — 2 Bedroom Apartment, partially furnished, \$250.00 a month. Includes electric. Call Bill 348-5451 or 348-5156. -30-

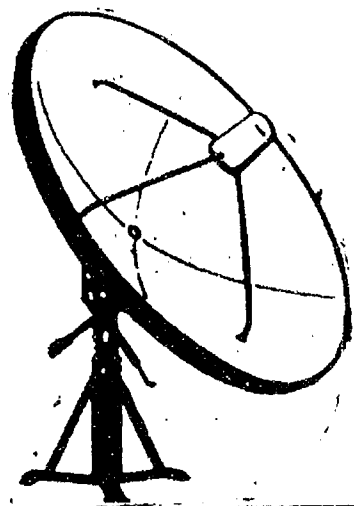
FOR SALE OR RENT — Modern 3 Bedroom Ranch, attached garage, H.W. heat, close to town, References, No Pets. Ph. 348-9527 after 5:30. -30-

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FOR SALE—Log truck, 1974 Ford Louisville tri-axle with apprentice G loader, 19 ft. bed, 10-00-x20 tires, call 616/536-7603 after 6:00 p.m. -30-6-

FOR SALE—AKC Registered Lab, Choc. Male, 13 weeks, \$150.00, Phone 348-2275 after 5:30. -30-

FOR SALE—Modern Mobile Home in Roscommon, 4 Bedroom with 12 x 50 addition on 1 acre with trees, well kept. Also 3 out buildings, has oil heat or wood, 275-8663. -30-6-13-20-

FOR RENT—2 Bedroom Modular Home, furnished, midway between Grayling & Roscommon, like new home, no pets, 1 child O.K., \$100.00 Sec. Dep., Rent \$250.00 month & utilities. Apply 608 Chestnut, Grayling. -30-

1982 LAND ATLAS Plat Book and Sportsman Guide for Crawford County is available at the Crawford County Avalanche for \$10 per copy. For mail orders add \$1.00 for postage and handling, and send to the Avalanche, P.O. Box 490, Grayling, MI 49738 -7/16tf-

FOR SALE OR RENT—Portable Signs, C.F. Flick & Sons, Inc. 348-2991. -30-

FOR SALE—Full size sofa sleeper, \$140.00 Firm, Call most anytime, 348-8035. -30-

HILLSIDE FARMS WILL BE PLANTING—Bedding plants, perennials, herbs, foliage plants & house plants. If there are special flowers you need, we are licensed growers. 348-9467. -30-

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LAND CONTRACTS—We buy. Call us for a quote. LaNoble Realty Co., 1516 E. Michigan Ave., Lansing, MI. 48912. Ph. 517/482-1637. -30-

FOR SALE—Newly rebuilt 350 transmission, \$200.00. Now in 70 Chevy, rest of car for parts, 348-8875. -30-

FOR RENT—Single occupancy furnished upstairs apartment, \$200.00 month includes utilities. Security Deposit Required, Available Oct. 15. Interviews being taken now, 348-9752. -30-6-13-20-

FOR SALE—1975 1 ton Ford, 12 ft. flat rack, excellent condition, V-8 automatic transmission, \$4,000.00. Phone 348-2928 evenings 6:00-9:00. -8/30tf-

FOR RENT—Furnished Basement Apartment in Frederic, living room, dining room, kitchen, bedroom & bath, electricity furnished, No Pets, Security Deposit Required, Phone 348-8365. -30-

FOR SALE—7 ft. Western Snow Plow, complete, \$550.00; 1949 Ford truck converted to tractor with plow & drag, \$300.00, 348-9492. -30-

THE 1st HUNDRED YEARS Grayling's Centennial book has had another printing due to the numerous requests received for same. Copies are available for \$6.00 from the Crawford County Avalanche Office, Cornell Realty, Rochette's Party Store. For mail orders add \$1.00 for postage & handling. -7/24tf-

Softball News
Class C Softball Tournament, at Gaylord Bowling Center, was won by a Grayling team; "Grayling Firewood", consisting of mostly locals. Were led by Rolly Wilkins, Jim Brown, Mussy Gildner, Leo Lobsinger, Bob Steinbrink, John Herrick, Scott Hamblin, Tim Brennan, Louie Madill, Ken Schram (Lewiston), Stan and Randy Feleccia (Gaylord). Also Al Boyk who won MVP.

Services Held For Loretta Ross, 47

Loretta A. Ross, 47, of Grayling passed away at Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak, Michigan on Thursday, August 23, 1984. Funeral services were held at St. John Lutheran Church, Grayling Monday, August 27, 1984 at 11:30 with Reverend Robert Haskel officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery, Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Ross was born in Black River Falls, Wisconsin on February 12, 1937 to Hillman and Margaret (Olson) Samuelson. She moved to Grayling from Cheboygan 9 years ago and was a Secretary/Clerk at the Crawford-AuSable Middle School and a member of St. John Lutheran Church.

She is survived by her husband Bernard W. Ross; 2 sons, Wayne and Steven, both of Grayling; two sisters, Betty Kragness of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania and LaVonne Coover of San Diego, California; and two brothers, Donald and Wayne Samuelson both of Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

Palbearers were Joe Meredith, Dewain Hall, Jim Brackenbury, Leo Terrian, Marvin Ross and Fred Ross.

The family suggests the American Cancer Society to any who wish to make Memorial Contributions.

Bits O Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Duncan are the proud parents of a daughter, Sara Lynn born August 19, 1984 at Otsego Memorial Hospital in Gaylord. Sara Lynn weighed 7 lbs. 5 ozs. and is the granddaughter of Fern Duncan of Grayling.

Hillside Farms has purchased a wild Burro from the United States Government and have named it Grayling. Mary Beth Boone and the Burro will be featured on PM Magazine in the near future. The program was taped last week.

Vern & Joyce Fox vacationed last week in the Smoky Mountains and visited Opry Land in Tennessee.

Kay Fox returned to Central Michigan University on August 27, for her second year.

Commission on Aging

Grayling area was well represented when our Senior Citizens traveled to the Roscommon Fair on August 9th for their special Senior Citizens Day program.

Elmer Fenton was introduced as our Outstanding Senior Citizen and received a lovely crocheted rose to wear in his lapel.

Trophies were received by both the Song Birds and Dance Group under the direction of Chuck Kirk, Angie Kirkum for having 34 great-grandchildren, the Kitchen Band under the direction of Mimi Wilson, Tressa Stephan for her solo musical renditions, and Emma Knibbs for being the oldest lady present. Crochet corsages were presented to Angie Kirkum and Earl Westbrooke as an honored couple.

Many thanks to those people who participated on the program and showed that we have Seniors to be proud of in the Grayling area. A good time was had by all, and they look forward to returning next year.

Notice of Mortgage

Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 26th day of August 1980, by RANDY A. REED and THERESE M. REED, his wife as mortgagor(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on August 26, 1980, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for CRAWFORD County, Michigan, in Liber 189 of mortgages on pages 375-378; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Twenty Seven Thousand Two Hundred Ninety Three and 63/100 Dollars (\$27,293.63) principal and One Hundred Four and 62/100 Dollars (\$104.62) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given that on October 10, 1984 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court steps (east side) of the Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of CRAWFORD, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit: That property located in Crawford County in the State of Michigan.

Lots Nine (9) and Ten (10), Block 2 HADLEY'S SECOND ADDITION to the Village of Grayling, being a subdivision of part of the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Seven (7), Town Twenty-Six (26) North, Range Three (3) West according to the plat thereof as recorded at Liber 1 of Plats, page 10, Crawford County Records. SUBJECT TO a reservation in the State of Michigan of all oil, gas and minerals and aboriginal antiquities as recited in an instrument recorded at Liber 24, Page 31, Crawford County Records. The redemption period will be six months from the foreclosure sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus 11 1/2% interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

For additional information, please contact UNITED STATES OF AMERICA acting through Farmers Home Administration, Room 209, 1405 S. Harrison Road, East Lansing, MI 48823, mortgagee.

-30-6-13-20-

V.F.W. to Meet

The V.F.W. monthly meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 5 at the American Legion Hall at 7:30 p.m.

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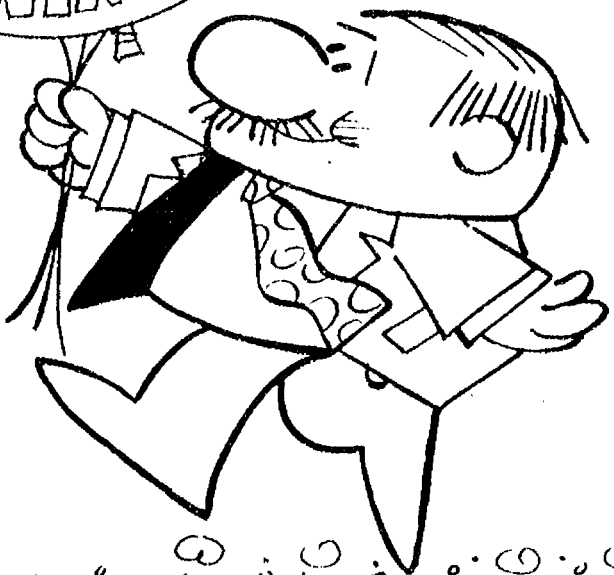
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Political conventions may be on way out . . .

by Richard Milliman

DALLAS — HAS the national political convention lost its usefulness? Will it continue as part of American tradition and political lore?

Or will it go the way of the mastodon... destroyed by its emerging environment?

That's a good, legitimate question, and one which has some of the delegates to this National Republican Convention here in sweltering Dallas pondering their real purpose.

After all, this GOP gathering really has very little to do. The main purpose of the convention — to nominate the party's candidates for President and Vice President — is all taken care of long ahead of time. That's the same case for most incumbent Presidents.

President Reagan and Vice President Bush have had their selections all locked up for almost four years now.

AND OUT IN San Francisco, Democratic counterparts as delegates also had relatively little to decide. The primaries and the caucuses saw to that.

Sen. Gary Hart and Rev. Jesse Jackson made a pretense of holding out for the nomination, but in reality they were only blowing smoke. Walter Mondale had it all wrapped up several weeks ahead of time. Anyone who can count knew that — and the ability to count is a prime requisite for politicians.

As far as Vice President is concerned, the presidential nominee takes care of that, too; whomever the nominee wants to fill out the ticket, the nominee gets... it's that simple.

Once in a while there's an exception, such as when Adlai Stevenson left it up to the delegates to choose between Estes Kefauver and John Kennedy, back in 1956 (they picked Kefauver). That was largely a lost cause from the start, however, with the popular President Eisenhower running for a second term.

SO WHAT DOES a debate do to be useful? What's the real purpose of the convention anymore?

Unless things change drastically, the primary purpose of a convention

— to choose a presidential candidate — will not rest with the delegates. The trend has been to go back to the people, through primaries, and to the local party workers, through caucuses, to select the candidate or to pick the delegates who are pledged — or favor — one candidate or another.

Television, with its immediacy and its pervasiveness, has helped this development.

BUT A CONVENTION still is useful, just as this one here in Dallas is useful.

It provides a rally for the party faithful, and that's important for the growth and the strength of the two-party system. Here in Dallas, Republicans can gain strength from each other, just as the Democrats did in San Francisco. A good old-fashioned rally is worthwhile, at least once every four years.

It's also important for development of public issues, through consideration and adoption of a party platform. Once every four years, the party leadership actually thinks about what it wants to do for the country, argues about it if there are differences, and commits ideas to writing. That's a healthy exercise, too — despite the criticism from cynics that nobody bothers to follow their party's platform anyway. The mere consideration of issues is valuable in itself.

The convention also provides a stage to test present and future party leadership. Several leaders of the party, and potential candidates after Ronald Reagan, are spotlighted here in Dallas. George Bush, of course, but also such present and future luminaries as Howard Baker, Jack Kemp, Robert Dole, James Thompson, Jeane Kirkpatrick, Nancy Kassebaum, Elizabeth Dole and many others are round and about, with rank and file Republicans from the various states forming opinions, forging alliances, and looking toward the future. That's how leadership is developed.

So although it may look as if nothing is going on at this convention, don't you believe it.

But whether the convention will survive as a national institution, in my opinion, is highly problematic as long as the selection of candidates is missing.



4-H WATER SAFETY CORPS AT PINE KNOLL CAMPGROUND — The 4-H Water Safety Corps pictured above is only a part of the 200 youth in the 4-H swimming program and only a small part of the 450 youth involved in Crawford County 4-H Clubs. United Way funds have helped to support many of these clubs such as T-Ball, ceramics, cross country skiing, archery, food & nutrition, horse, small animals, pocket pets and computers. United Way has also provided scholarships for area youth to 4-H camp and 4-H Exploration Days at Michigan State University.

4-H is open to all without regard to race, color, sex or national origin and in Crawford County 4-H serves youth ages three and up. 4-H is education with youth and adults working together. It is also the fun of action-oriented education through camping, contests, and trips. To learn more about 4-H or to become involved call the Cooperative Extension Service at 348-2841 ext. 265.

CMU Offers Classes In Grayling-Gaylord

Mt. Pleasant - Central Michigan University will offer a series of classes in northern Michigan through its Office of Continuing Education and Community Services.

Most of the classes are offered on a credit basis and are designed to fit the needs and time constraints of working adults.

Students must be enrolled at least one week prior to the beginning of the class. For registration information, contact Continuing Education and Community Services, 125 Rowe Hall, CMU, Mt. Pleasant, Mich. 48859, (517) 774-3715.

Classes in Grayling will meet at the Grayling High School and include:

English 681: "Seminar in Children's Literature," 3 hours. The class begins Sept. 17.

Psychology 501: "Stress Management," 1 hour. The class begins Sept. 26.

Secondary Education 670: "Reading in the Secondary School II," 3 hours. The class begins Sept. 17.

Classes in Gaylord will meet at the Gaylord High School and include:

Elementary Education/Secondary Education 508/ Special Education 545: "Mastery Learning," 2

hours. The class begins Sept. 19.

Elementary Education 531: "Corrective Reading in the Classroom," 3 hours. The class begins Oct. 19.

Elementary Education/Secondary Education/Special Education/Library Media 594: "Logo Learning Language," 3 hours. Classes begin Sept. 22.

Elementary Education/ Psychology 682: "Psychology of Child Development," 3 hours. The class begins Sept. 25.

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Hospital News

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Those discharged were: Corinne Wolcott of Grayling; Sandra Seals and baby and Laura Bagwell and baby, both of Roscommon.

Robert and Tina Johnson of Mio are the proud parents of a son, Joshua Adam, born August 16, 1984. He weighed in at 6 lbs. 14 1/2 ozs.

Lovells News

by Ruth Caldwell

Mrs. Vicki Davio returned home Sunday after visiting her son, Peter and family in Maryland.

Mrs. Edith Maki visited relatives and friends in Detroit, while there she attended the wedding of her nephew.

Mrs. Leona Nichols, and friend enjoyed a few days at her cabin on KP Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mullin and Mrs. Edith Noble spent the weekend in Mason. While there they celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Noble.

Mr. Ed Sorton enjoyed having his sister and husband from Virginia, visit him for a few days.

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet Thursday, 7:30 at the club room.

Margie Harwood, Barbara Cheyne, and Michele Muriel spent a couple of days in Grand Rapids on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spencer visited relatives and friends in Bowling Green, Ohio.

A new book at the library is "Idaho" by Dana Ross, of the Wagon West series.

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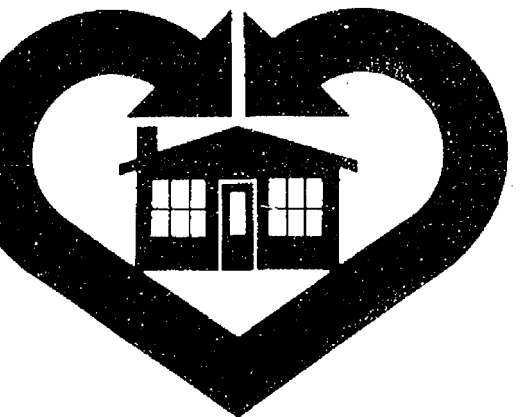
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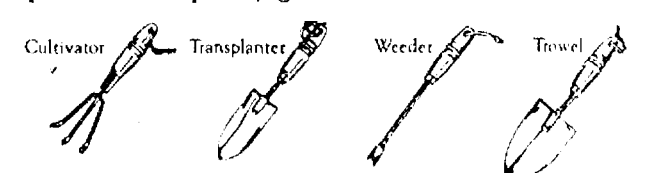
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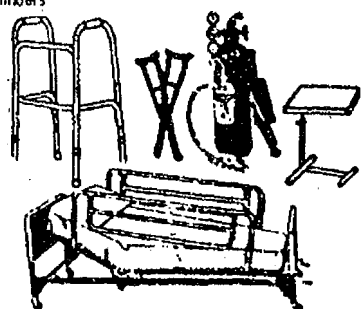
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G.H.S. Alumni to Honor Dr. V.B. Blaha at Homecoming



By Clara Sorenson
Membership Secretary

We will honor Dr. Vernon B. Blaha at our Annual Homecoming on Saturday, September 8. When he was asked to accept this recognition, he said "I am not one of your Alumni". True. But he has cared for so many of us and our families, this becomes the one way we can show our appreciation.

Vernon Blaha was raised in a small community of Whitten, Iowa. He was an active young man who participated in various sports. He followed in the footsteps of his father, Dr. George Blaha and chose medicine for a

career. He graduated from the University of Iowa with an M.D. Degree in 1942. He served his internship and general surgical residency at Harper Hospital, Detroit, Mi., from 1942 to 1948.

Dr. Blaha practiced medicine at Marshalltown, Iowa from 1948 to 1955. From 1955 to 1957 he served in the U.S. Navy and was discharged as Commander. In 1958 he came to Grayling.

1958...that was the beginning for him in another small town...and a long way from Iowa. We came to know him as a compassionate Doctor who "cared". He took to the ski slopes in the Winter...the Golf course in the Summer. He was involved in several medical organizations throughout the State and National. He gave his time to our own Mercy Hospital as Chief of Staff and Chief of Surgery...always alert to his "built-in alarm clock that goes off every morning at 5:30 a.m." These years with Dr. Blaha have been good ones...only he who dedicated to his profession of healing, can know the hours given to all of us who call upon him.

His background of medicine is all through his family. His wife, Eddie is an RN. His father practiced for over 50 years...his mother, Helen was an RN...His brother, Dr. David Blaha is a practicing Dentist in Marshalltown, whose wife is an RN...a very close cousin, Edna Church is an RN...What do you suppose is the main topic of conversation when they all get together?

This tradition carries over into the life of his second son,

Dr. John David who is Associate Professor of Arthritic Surgery, West Virginia Medical Center, Morgantown, W.V.

His oldest son, George is "The Voice of the Pistons", NBA Basketball and Sports Talk Show, Radio and TV, CKLW, Windsor, Canada.

His youngest son, Michael is attending CMU, Mt. Pleasant, studying Chemistry and Computer Science.

These are some of the highlights of the life of Dr. Vernon B. Blaha. It is a privilege to honor an Admirable man.

Arts Council's Fall Dance Program

The Crawford County Arts Council's fall semester dance program begins on Tuesday, September 4, with a roster of 10 different ballet, tap, and jazz classes offered to pre-schoolers, students, and adults. All classes are held in the Crawford County Arts Center, located at the west end of the Grayling Mini Mall. To register yourself or your child, call CCAC members Lorna Morse 348-7037 or Irene Pettyjohn 348-9461 before September 4.

The Arts Council will sponsor a series of two performances this fall, from the Midwest Lyceum of Grand Rapids. Coming to Grayling on October 13 is the Broadway Revue, "Four By Four and More." On Sunday, October 28, the Midwest Trio will perform a matinee performance. Both will be presented in Grayling High School's Joseph Stripe Auditorium.

Tickets for the series will go on sale in September, for \$6.00 for both performances. Patronages are available for \$20.00, which includes two tickets for each performance (\$12.00 value), a contribution of \$8.00, and the contributor's name in the programs. Patronages can be ordered from CCAC President George Morse 348-7037 or Treasurer Gerry Yates 348-8322, 8-5 weekdays.

New members are always welcome in the Arts Council. People can join by calling 348-7037 or by attending the September meeting, which will be held on the second Tuesday of the month (due to Labor Day), the 11th, at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Room of Northern National Bank.

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Accounting I will meet on Mondays from 6 - 10 p.m. (4 cr. hrs.); Intro to Computer Programming-BASIC will be held Mondays and Thursdays from 7 - 10 p.m. (3 cr. hrs.); English Composition I will be held from 7 - 10 p.m. on Tuesdays (3 cr. hrs.); and Introduction to American Government will meet Wednesdays from 7 - 10 p.m. (3 cr. hrs.)

Registration for all classes will be held only on Monday, September 17th from 5 - 7 p.m. at the High School. Books will only be for sale during this registration period.

For further information, contact Kirtland's Instruction Office at 517/275-5121, extension 270.

Vern Fox Retires

Vern Fox, a DNR fish area manager for the Mio district retired on July 13, 1984.

He started at Paris, Michigan in October, 1955 and was transferred to Grayling in January 1961.

A retirement party was held for Vern at the District 7 office, given by fellow employees.

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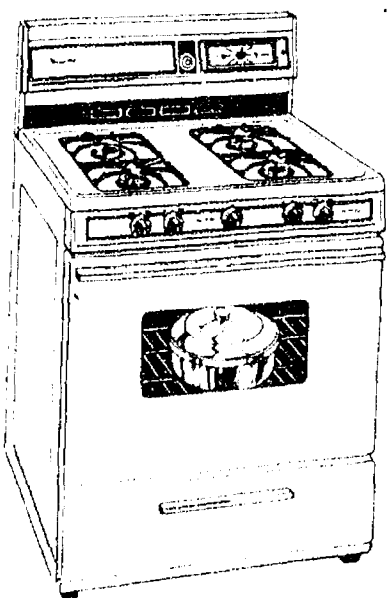
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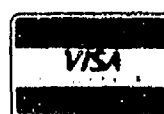
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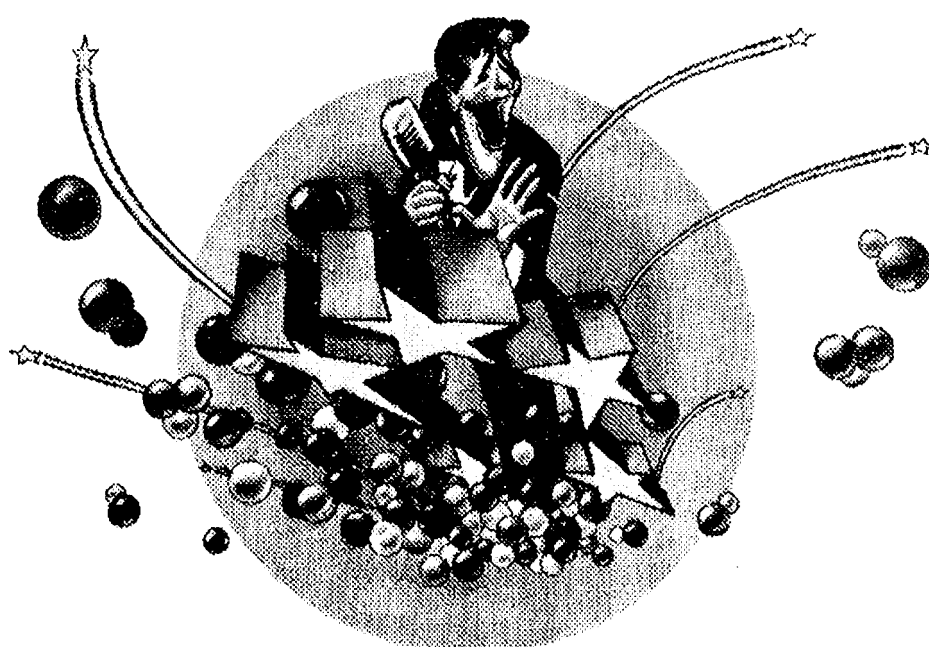
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Pat Paulsen Returns to CCP

Parents Group To Meet

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Cong. Albosta's Aide Here Sept. 6

Congressman Don Albosta has announced that his Congressional Staff Liaison will be in Crawford County, on September 6, 1984. Hours will be 1:30-2:30 p.m. at the Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling.

Albosta said that the staff liaison is coming to this area to assist persons who have problems with the federal government, and to give everyone an opportunity to discuss issues of concern.

Those who find they cannot come at the scheduled time, may write to Albosta's District office, 4001 US 31 South, Traverse City, Mich. 49684, or call the Albosta Action Line, 1-800-292-4255.

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"Greater Tuna," a high satire about the third smallest town in Texas, and written by Joe Sears, Jaston Williams, and Ed Howard, takes a wonderfully comical look at members of this tiny east Texas town. Pat, and Michael McCarty, the other half of this two man show, portray twenty characters. From gossiping, fidgety old ladies, to tobacco spittin' good 'ole boys "Greater Tuna" shows that life in a small town is laughable! With quick changes and inspiring characterizations, the two will make zany people come to life with hilarious results.

Now being made into a pilot for Norman Lear and HBO, "Greater Tuna" is a perfect vehicle for Pat's wit and humor. Known as a first-

class entertainer in Traverse City and throughout the country, it's only fitting that Pat closes our Thirtieth Anniversary Season.

"Greater Tuna" will open on Tuesday, August 28, and will run till Sunday, September 2. Showtimes are Tuesday through Saturday at 8:30 p.m., Sunday at 7:30 p.m., and Thursday and Saturday matinees at 2:00 p.m. Pat has quite a loyal following, so get your tickets fast for "Greater Tuna" at CCP!

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Grayling Set For MDA Telethon

American Legion Hall September 2 & 3

There will be bands playing several different kinds of music to dance to, refreshments, drinks & local celebrities. Several local clubs will have booths & demonstrations set up.

M.C. for the dancing will be Bob Greenwood & Fred Hinkle. The dancing will be going on between 6 p.m. until 2 a.m. Sunday & between 11 a.m. and closing Monday.

Drawings will be held occasionally through the telethon, also a men's leg contest judging will be done at 11 a.m. Monday. The Channel 9 T.V. station will be at the American Legion Sunday at 6 p.m. and again Monday at 11:00 a.m.

Bands - T-Bear - McCoys and more; Brian Ashton - Madonna.

S.E.R.A. Meeting Tuesday, Sept. 11

Regular meeting of the North Central Area Chapter 19, State Employee Retirees Association, will be held the second Tuesday (Sept. 11) instead of the first Tuesday of the month for September only.

Meetings are held at the Houghton Lake Community Center, beginning at 2:00 p.m.

Special guest for this meeting will be Attorney Michael Bauman, who will discuss the subject of Wills and answer any questions you might have concerning them.

All state retirees, spouses and guests are urged to attend.

Vets Still Eligible For Agent Orange Contacted Settlement

Seven chemical companies have averted a long-scheduled trial by agreeing to create a \$180 million fund for Vietnam veterans and their families who say that they have health problems related to exposure to Agent Orange; a defoliant widely used by the military in Vietnam.

The total number of veterans and their families to be touched by the settlement is unclear, but 15,000 veterans and families were involved in the suit. Over 130,000 veterans have signed a federal Agent Orange registry. Those eligible include all Americans, Australians and New Zealanders who served in Vietnam between 1961 and 1972 and who can establish injury to themselves or their wives or children from the effects of dioxin, a toxic contaminant in Agent Orange.

The settlement creates a fund that will make payments to eligible veterans and/or their families probably starting in late 1985. It will take approximately 15 to 24 months to establish the mechanism to evaluate claims and make awards. Although the method of determining priority has not been worked out, generally the most serious injury claims will be addressed first. Injuries that may be included under the settlement agreement include various types of cancer, nerve damage, birth defects in children, miscarriages, and chloracne, among other

conditions. How such claims can be established may be the most difficult question facing the veterans and their lawyers. Whether a veteran's condition was caused by Agent Orange or some other factor was one of the key issues at stake in the lawsuit. Now it is no longer a matter of dispute between the veterans and the chemical companies but a matter to be decided by the veterans themselves and medical experts.

Veterans can still choose to withdraw from the class action suit and then pursue an independent lawsuit against the companies, but should realize that it would be a difficult and expensive course of action. Veterans who previously opted out of the class are now allowed back in to take advantage of the settlement.

Any veteran or family member who feels they are eligible for this settlement may get more information or make contact with the Veteran's Administration by seeing the American Legion Service Officer at the Grayling American Legion Hall between 1:00 and 5:00 p.m. Monday, September 10, 1984.

Arthur R. Thayer
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Commission On Aging Menu

Dinners are served daily Monday - Friday at the Grayling Housing Project, 308 Lawndale in Grayling. Reservations for the 12:00 Noon meal are requested by 9:30 a.m. Please call 348-2841, ext. 228.

The community is welcome to attend the dinners. Persons over 60, or their spouse is over 60, can eat for a \$1.35 donation. Others may eat for \$2.50.

Mon., Sept. 3 - Closed Labor Day.
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Wed., Sept. 5 - Apple Juice, Tomato Salad, Chinese Pepper Steak, Rice, Mixed Vegetables, Mixed Melon.

Thurs., Sept. 6 - Pineapple Juice, Cranberry Salad, Plum Orange Glazed Roast Turkey, Mashed Potato, Green Beans, Chefs Delight.

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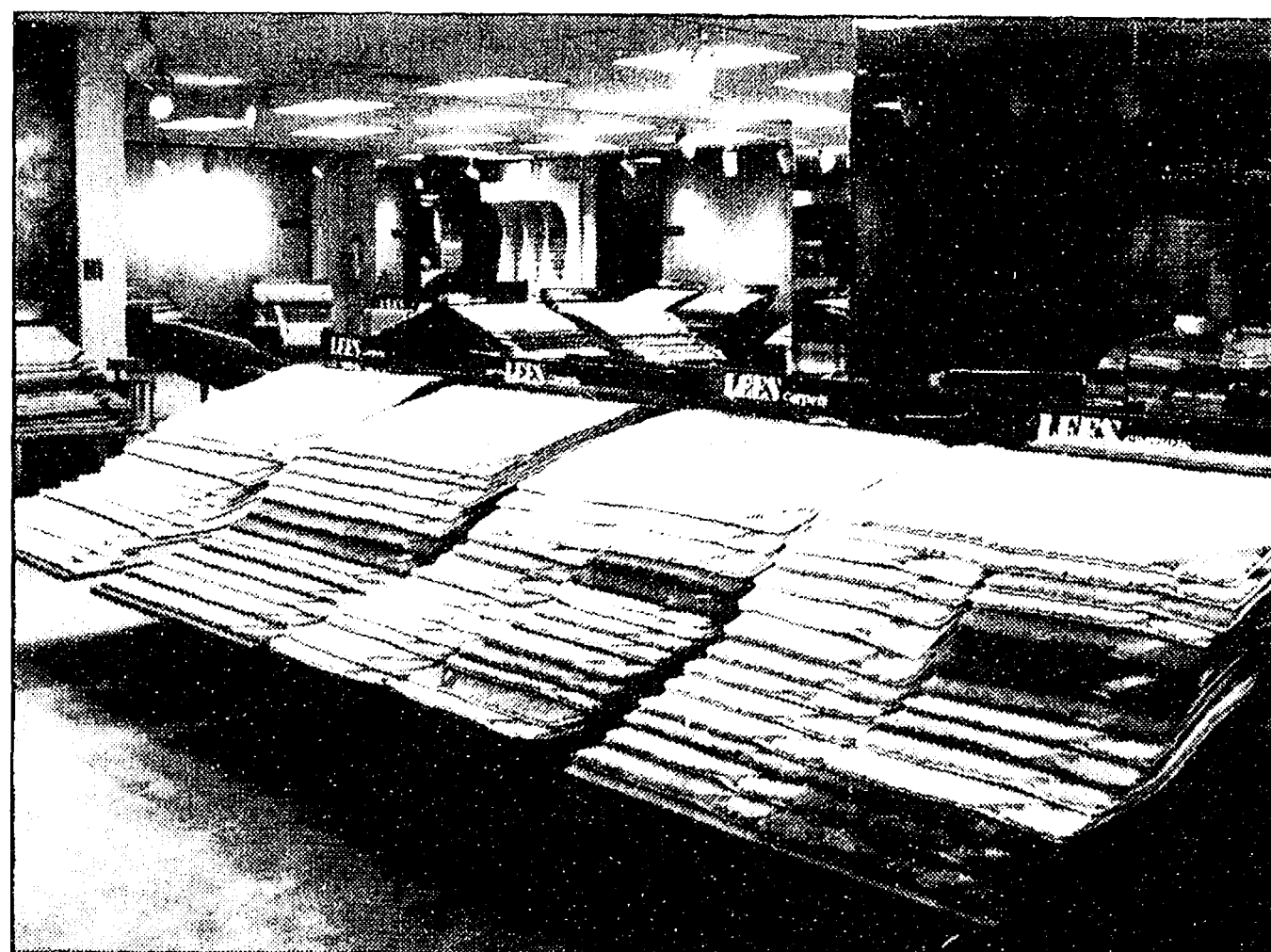
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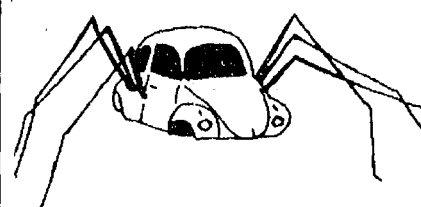
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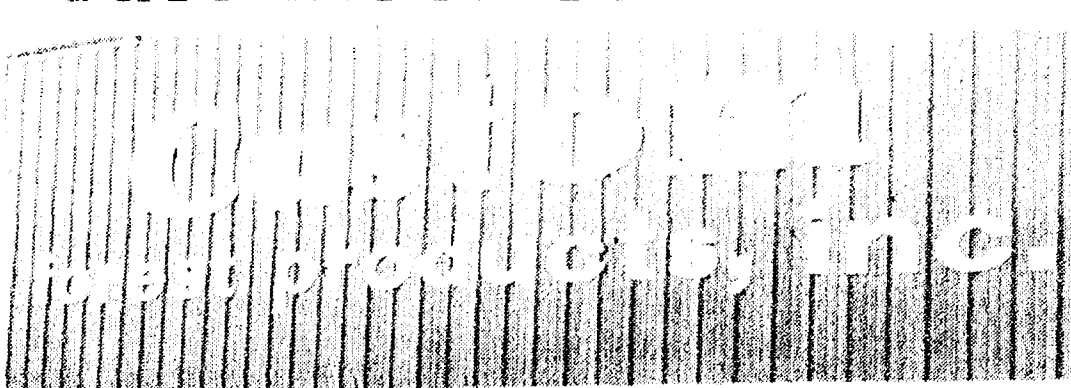
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SCHOOL OPENING ANNOUNCEMENTS

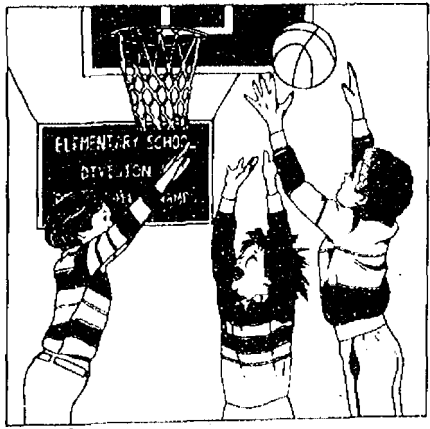
School Opens: Wednesday, September 5, 1984

CRAWFORD AuSABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT MAJOR GOALS FOR THE 1984-85 SCHOOL YEAR

1. PASS A BOND issue for construction of a new middle school.
2. REVIEW ALL BOARD adopted K-6 educational objectives, consolidate by grade level, and identify appropriate methods of instruction.
3. EVALUATE K-5 reading textbooks and materials and adopt new materials for the 1985-86 school year.
4. EVALUATE DISTRICT maintenance and custodial services, determine adequate levels of service and implement a plan for meeting needs.
5. COMPLETE THE REVIEW and evaluation of high school graduation requirements and implement necessary revisions.
6. CONTINUE TO PURSUE North Central Accreditation for Grayling High School.
7. IMPLEMENT AND EVALUATE the developmental kindergarten program.
8. IMPLEMENT AND EVALUATE the newly adopted middle school science and computer science curriculum.
9. IMPLEMENT THE ADOPTED elementary computer science curriculum and complete the review of the elementary language arts curriculum.
10. COMPLETE IMPLEMENTATION of the adopted K-6 reading and mathematics objectives and district testing for mastery learning.
11. COMPLETE THE REVIEW and evaluation of district student codes of conduct.
12. DEVELOP AN EMERGENCY PLAN for housing middle school age students should closing of the middle school building become a necessity for either short or long periods of time.
13. DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT a planning process to design in-service training activities for staff related to high need areas of performance.
14. BEGIN THE OPERATION of the district communication committee with representatives from district advisory and planning committees.
15. IMPLEMENT ADOPTED REVISIONS in the district K-12 gifted/talented (advanced studies) program.

TELEPHONE 348-7641

All school district telephones operate through a central switchboard in the Administrative Office. Therefore the same telephone number must be dialed regardless of the building or person you wish to reach. When you reach the central switchboard, your call will be transferred to the building or person you request. The central switchboard is open from 8:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. daily.



NOTICE

All school offices will be closed from 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 4th. All employees will be in a general school district meeting.

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 5, 1984

The first day of school will be a full school day at all buildings.

ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

Kent Reynolds Superintendent
Paul Lerg Assistant Superintendent
Carl Naghtin High School Principal
Michael Branch Assistant High School Principal
Athletic Director
Dale Nicholas Middle School Principal
Melvin "Pat" Nunn Grayling Elementary Principal
David Hawkins Frederic Elementary Principal
Special Education Coordinator
Peter Ingvarsson State and Federal Programs
Facilitator (1/2 time)
Howard Taylor Community School Director (1/2 time)

IMMUNIZATION

The Michigan Public Health Code requires that Kindergarten students and students new to a district must present proof of at least one dose of measles, mumps, rubella, tetanus, pertussis, diphtheria and polio vaccine to enter school. Kindergarten students will not be admitted until proof of immunization is shown and students new to the district must present proof through a transfer of records from another district or from their physician within one month after they enroll or they will be excluded from school until such proof is shown. The Public Health Department in the County Courthouse has waiver forms for those seeking waivers to this code for religious reasons.

DAILY TIME SCHEDULE HIGH SCHOOL:

1st Hour 9:00-9:48
2nd Hour 9:52-10:40
3rd Hour 10:44-11:32
A Lunch 11:32-11:57
4A Hour 12:01-12:49
4B Hour 11:36-12:24
B Lunch 12:24-12:49
5th Hour 12:53-1:41
6th Hour 1:45-2:33
7th Hour 2:37-3:25

MIDDLE SCHOOL:

1st Hour 8:50-9:37
2nd Hour 9:40-10:27
3rd Hour 10:30-11:17
4A Lunch (8th gr) 11:20-11:44
B Lunch (8th gr) 11:44-12:11
C Lunch (7th gr) 12:11-12:35
5th Hour 12:38-1:25
6th Hour 1:28-2:15
7th Hour 2:18-3:05
Building Dismissal 3:10

GRAYLING ELEMENTARY:

Kindergarten A.M. 8:50-11:35
Kindergarten P.M. 12:10-2:55
Grades 1-2 8:50-11:45
12:15-2:55
Grades 3-4 8:50-11:30
12:00-2:55

FREDERIC ELEMENTARY:

Dev. Kdg. A.M. 8:50-11:35
Kindergarten P.M. 12:10-2:55
Grades 1-3 8:50-11:00
11:30-3:00
Grade 4 8:50-11:25
11:55-3:00
Grade 5 8:50-11:30
12:00-3:00 or 8:50-11:45, 12:15-3:00

STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE

Because of rapidly increasing costs, the school district will not carry student accident insurance this year.

However, insurance forms will be sent home with all students during the first week of school. This optional insurance may be purchased by a parent, guardian or a student. Insurance enrollment forms should be returned to the principal's office by September 12, 1984.

Grayling High School has been continuously accredited by the University of Michigan since 1910.



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CRAWFORD AuSABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT 1984-85 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR

September 3, 1984 Labor Day
September 4 Teacher Organizational Meetings
September 5 (Wed.) School Opens for All Students
November 2 End of First Nine Week Marking Period
November 7 Early Dismissal Beginning at 1:00 at the Elementary Schools for Parent/Teacher Conferences
November 8 Early Dismissal beginning at 1:00 at the Elementary Schools for Parent/Teacher Conferences
November 15 Opening of Deer Season-Schools Closed
Nov. 22 & 23 Thanksgiving Vacation - Schools Closed
Dec. 21 School Closes Early Beginning at 11:30 at the Elementary Schools for Christmas Vacation
Dec. 22-Jan. 1 Christmas Vacation - Schools Closed
Jan. 2, 1985 (Wed.) School Resumes
Jan. 18 End of First Semester - School Closes Early Beginning at 11:30 at the Elementary Schools For Teacher Recordkeeping
February 25 Winter Break - Schools Closed
March 22 End of Third Nine Week Marking Period
March 28 Early Dismissal Beginning at 1:00 at the Elementary Schools for Parent/Teacher Conferences
April 5-14 Spring Vacation - Schools Closed
April 15 (Mon.) School Resumes
May 27 Memorial Day - Schools Closed
June 7 School Closes Early Beginning at 11:30 at the Elementary School for Teacher Recordkeeping
June 7 (Fri.) 8:00 p.m. - Commencement Exercises in the High School Gymnasium



ATTENTION NEW STUDENTS

Parents are urged to register their children if they are new to the Crawford AuSable School District on Thursday, August 30 or Friday, August 31. Parents can register their children at the appropriate school between 9:00 and 4:00. Counselors are available at the Middle School and High School to assist with course selection.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Bernadine Dosch President
William Morford Vice-President
Mary Allen Secretary
Freddie Allen Trustee
Roger Moshier Treasurer
Pauline Petrosky Trustee
Ann Stephenson Trustee

Meetings of the Board of Education are held at 7:30 p.m. in the Grayling High School Library (unless otherwise noted) according to the following schedule:

September 10, 1984 - Middle School Library
October 8, 1984 - Frederic Elementary Library
November 12, 1984 - Grayling Elementary Library
December 10, 1984 April 8, 1985
January 14, 1985 May 13, 1985
February 11, 1985 June 17, 1985
March 11, 1985

BUILDING USE BY OUTSIDE GROUPS

Persons or groups wishing to use school district facilities are to contact the principal of the building in which the facility is located. A building use request form will be provided and if the request is approved, a contract will be completed. It is the policy of the district to charge a fee for such use. Fees are based upon the cost of utilities, materials and personnel to the district and upon the type of group using the facility. Requests for building use must be filed at least 15 days prior to the date requested.



CRAWFORD AuSABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT 1984-85 BUS ROUTES

TRANSPORTATION SUPERVISOR - Vern Hoag,
Transportation Office 348-7641, Extension 38

MARY LOU PORTER - BUS NO. 76-20 - Start pick up 7:20. M-72 West, Swamp Rd., Riverview

JACK KAISER - BUS NO. 78-18 - Start pick up 6:55. Twin Bridge, F-97, Townline, 612, Bald Hill Rd., 612, M-93, 612, Old 27, Frederic

PAT KOZICKI - BUS NO. 79-1 - Start pick up at 6:55. M-93, White Rd., Sherman, Marker, Sherman, Babbitt, Marker, Feldhauser, Sherman, 612, Roberts, 612, Frederic, Old 27

CLIFF PORTER - BUS NO. 75-10 - Start pick up at 7:00. 72 East, Stephan Bridge Rd, 72 East, Thendara, Stephan to 5 Mi., Beasley, 4 Mi., Town

IRMA RIDDLE - BUS NO. 76-14 - Start pick up at 7:10. 27, Kolka Crk, Cameron Bridge, Manistee Rd., 612, 27

MIKE ALMA - BUS NO. 79-2 - Start pick up at 7:40. Oak Rd, 5 Mi. Rd, 4 Mi. Rd, Beaver Rd, 7 Mi. Rd, Military Rd, Fletcher Rd, Old 27

DENA KOLB - BUS NO. 79-3 - Start pick up at 7:30. M-72 E., Stephan Bridge Rd, Shaw Park Rd, Stephan Bridge, N. Down River Rd, Whirlpool Rd., Richardson Rd, Headquarters Rd, N. Down River Rd

LLOYD CRAWFORD - BUS NO. 75-12 - Start pick up at 7:50. 72 W, Old Dam rd, Sherwood Forest, 72 W., M.S., Elem Sch, Karen Woods, M.S., Elem Sch, H.S., Grayling Manor

PETE LATUSEK - BUS NO. 76-16 - Start pick up at 7:50. Evergreen Dr, 72 W, M-93, Hanson Dr, M-93, 72 W, AuSable Trl., Danish Landing to schools

BOB VOLLMER - BUS NO. 78-15 - Start pick up at 7:30. I-75, 18, 76, Old 27, Fletcher, Oak to Dort, 18-76, 7 Mi., to Merrio, 7 Mi., 18-76, I-75

MARY GALLOWAY - BUS NO. 75-11 - Start pick up at 7:30 (FIRST ROUTE) M-93, Jones Lk Rd, Wilcox Br. Rd, N. Down River Rd, Beaver Rd, N. Down River Rd to school. Start pick up at 8:15 (SECOND ROUTE) Mich. Ave., N. Down River Rd, Millikin Rd, Glenn Rd, Roberts Rd, Dale St, to Elem., M.S., H.S.

CAROL STEPHAN - BUS NO. 75-17 - Start pick up at 7:20. N. Down River Rd, Stephan Br. Rd, 72 E., Wakeley Br. Rd., N. Down River Rd, McMasters Br. Rd. to Elem., M.S., H.S.

BUS PICK UP TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DEPENDING ON BUS ROUTE STUDENT NUMBERS.

Afternoon Kindergarten routes will be determined when final scheduling is completed. Questions regarding transportation routes should be directed to the transportation office.

SCHOOL LUNCH AND BREAKFAST PRICES

Elementary School 5-day ticket \$4.00, Daily Lunch 85¢
Middle School 5-day ticket \$4.25, Daily Lunch 90¢
High School 5-day ticket \$4.25, Daily Lunch 90¢
Student Breakfast Price (All Schools) 50¢
Adult Breakfast Price (All Schools) 80¢
Adult Lunch Price (All Schools) \$1.35
Adult Lunch Price (Without Milk) \$1.05
Reduced Lunch Price (All Schools) 40¢
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Church News

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New Boy Scout Troop Forms In Grayling

By Todd Pfaff

On the evening of Monday, August 20, a new beginning of Scouting took place with the first weekly meeting of Troop 979.

The formation of this second Scout Troop is due to the efforts of Loren Goodale III, who initiated the idea and presented it to the Lake Huron Council for approval, and to the Michelson Memorial Methodist Church, who will be serving as the sponsor for the new troop.

And, with this announcement, Troop 979 would like to welcome Loren Goodale III to the office of Scoutmaster, Todd Pfaff as temporary Assistant Scoutmaster, and most important of all, the Scouts. They are: Ron Bancroft, Jason Clark, Casey Goeckerman, John Kinney, Jay Ramsey, and Lee Bob Johnson. You may recognize the first three boys as being former members of Troop 997, from which they have transferred.

As is true with any Boy Scout Troop, the success of Troop 979 depends first on its Scouts, and then on its volunteers. For a boy to be eligible to join Boy Scouts, he must be at least 11 years or older, or be in the fifth grade of school. As for volunteers, Troop 979 is in need of individuals who will donate their time to serve as Assistant Scoutmaster(s), on the

Troop Committee, or as Merit Badge Counselors.

If anyone is interested in becoming a volunteer, or a Scout, or would just like to learn more about Scouting and Troop 979, our meetings are held every Monday evening at 7:00 p.m. These meetings are held in the Scout Hall, which is located in the rear of the Goodale's Bakery building, with the entrance on Ottawa Street. If you are unable to attend the first few meetings, and have questions about Scouting, call Loren Goodale III at 348-9414.

On Labor Day, Troop 979 will be having their first activity as a troop. Plans are in the working to participate in the annual Mackinac Bridge Walk.

Help Girls! Volunteer!

Help girls grow and learn by becoming a Girl Scout volunteer. It's knowing you're needed and appreciated. It's teaching and learning, caring about what happens to young people, helping girls grow and prosper.

It's real, it's fun, it's important. It's meeting and working with people you like - people from all walks of life, a chance to participate in national and international events, a chance to share your heritage with others. It's a challenge. It's being a Girl Scout volunteer.

Think of the possibilities Girl Scouting is where you as an adult volunteer can develop your potential, learn new job skills, put your special talents to use, be a positive influence in girls' lives.

You are an important person - whatever your age, experience or education - you have something to offer. There are all kinds of volunteer positions in Girl Scouting - you can work directly with the girls, you can work indirectly for the girls. Every job counts - it depends on what suits you and how much time you can give.

No matter what you decide to do you will have help. You will have the backing of the world's largest voluntary organization for girls ages 6 through 17. You will be part of a worldwide family of girls and adults in more than 90 countries.

A world of opportunities will be open to you. You'll have a share in the future. You'll help ready girls for today's and tomorrow's world. In short, you'll see how valuable one person can be - how you can be that person girls can look up to - a volunteer in Girl Scouting.

If you are over 18 years of age and would like to help Girl Scouts and yourself call Dixie Lobsinger, Troop Organizer at 348-9178 or Sue Louchart, Service Unit Director at 348-8117. Girl Scouts ages 9 through 11 need you now.

Doodles From The Tall Timber

Wendell L. Hoover
 Park Interpreter

When oxen were common in the logging camp stables, the man or boy who fed them was called the "Bull Cook." When the oxen virtually disappeared from the logging scene, the "Bull Cook" took over the job of taking care of the bunkhouse. I have mentioned his job before, but I recently came across additional information.

In short, he was boss of the bunkhouse and got pretty cranky if the crew did not cooperate in keeping the bunkhouse clean. He often slept in the bunkhouse, but he had to be careful not to wake up the men when he got up to fill the stoves on cold winter nights. In fact, on the really cold nights, he did not go to bed at all but went from building to building to keep the stoves going.

After the crew left the bunkhouse in the morning, he scrubbed the floor by throwing pails of water on it and scrubbing the boards with a broom. Each man was responsible for making his bed in the morning, and it was the bull cook's job to notify any offender. The only personal gear the bull cook touched would be shoes or stags (cut-off boots used as slippers) which were moved from the floor to the deacon's bench while scrubbing the floor. After the lamps were cleaned and filled, the wood rick full, and the towels changed and washed, he turned his attention to the cook shanty where he split and hauled wood for the cook stoves and filled the two water barrels. He did not have anything to do with filling or cleaning the cook shanty lamps; those were the "cookee's" job. He did that and more along with being the subject for horseplay from the crew between 4 a.m. when he lit the lamps and 9 p.m. when he blew them out.

Winner

The winner of the .50 cent doll given away at the Crawford County Fair was R.P. Thompson.

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Troop 979 Newspaper News

First off, a word of appreciation to all of those people who have been patiently saving and storing their old newspapers for the Boy Scouts. We realize that they do take up a bit of room, and you have been tempted to just throw them away, but you didn't, thanks.

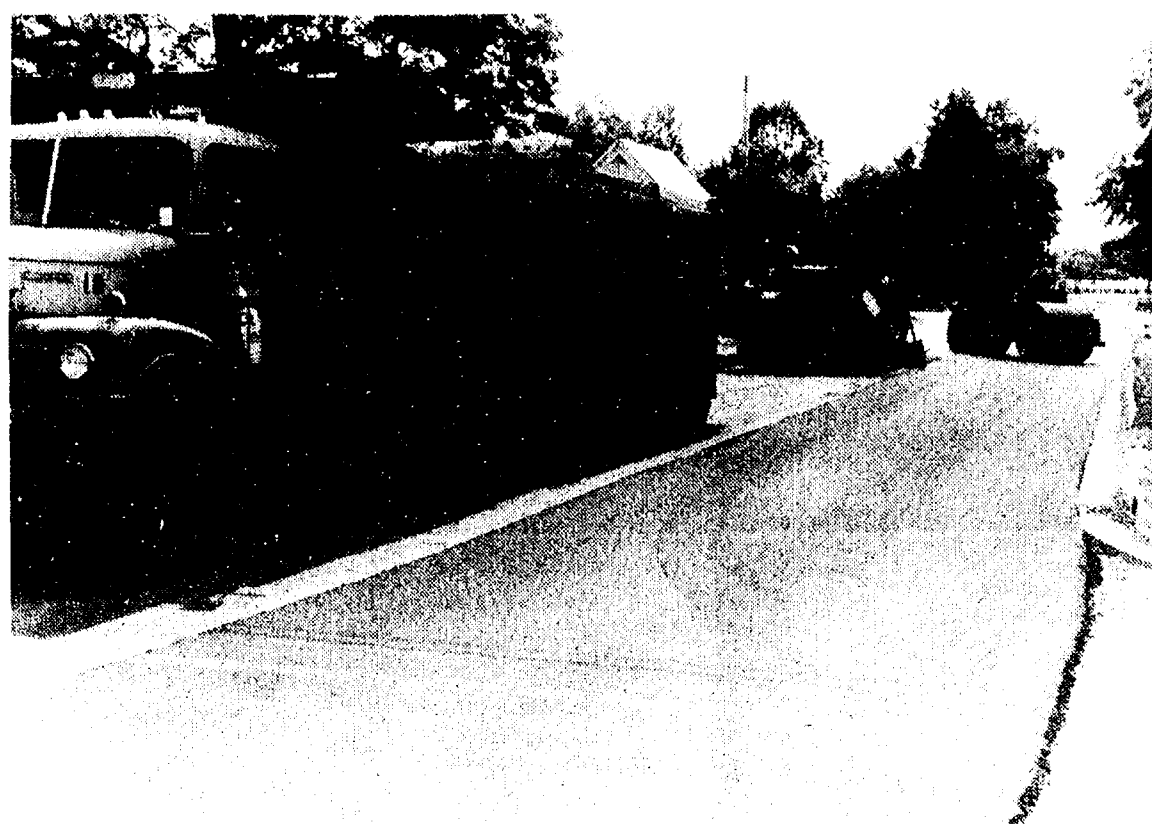
But now your troubles are over. The Boy Scout Newspaper Drive trailer has been returned. But it is now located at Goodale's Mini-Store, which is located on Hanson Drive in the Grayling Industrial Park. Due to this change of location, you have 24 hour access to the trailer, which means, you may drop your old newspapers off anytime.

With this change of location comes a change of ownership. Funds raised by this and any future newspaper drives will be going to Grayling's new Boy Scout Troop 979.

As with the past, Troop 979 would like to ask that you please bundle your papers and pile them NEATLY at either of the designated drop sites. This is for your convenience as well as ours.

Please discontinue leaving newspapers at the Crawford County Road Commission, as this is no longer a drop point. You may still leave your papers at the Grayling Township Transfer Station, as well as the trailer in the Industrial Park.

If you are unable to transport your donations to either location, arrangements for a pickup can be made by calling 348-9414.



CITY PAVING — The city paving program covering 15 blocks this year is nearly complete as paving began last week. Six blocks of Vine, three blocks of Clyde, two blocks of Ogema, and one block of Park, Elm, Plum, and Erie were paved. All the streets had storm drainage installed and three streets received sanitary sewer improvements.

R & H Sports Win District

R & H Sports of Grayling, scoring an average of 20 runs a game, blasted their way through the district Class C slow-pitch tournament at Charlevoix August 17-19 capturing first place.

They head for the state finals Sept. 1-2 in Milan, twelve miles south of Ann Arbor.

R & H started their scoring binge in the first game played Friday night by pounding Depot of Boyne City 19-6. They crushed Hewitt and Sons of Charlevoix 21-6 in their first game Saturday.

Sunday, R & H ran into their toughest game outlasting Leafs Mug and Jug of

Mio 21-19. Ted May, inserted as a pinch-hitter, belted a three-run home run in the bottom of the seventh to score a come-from-behind win.

R & H beat Garth's Roofing of Petoskey 23-14 and beat them 16-4 in the championship game later.

Barry Ewing and Jack Neuenfelt, both from Lewiston, led R & H in hitting. Ewing connected for six home runs and a .750 batting average. Neuenfelt hit four home runs and had a .706 average.

Rich Alexander, of Grayling, hit four round-trippers and batted .521. Jim Tobin, of Grayling, batted .666 and scored eleven runs. Bill

Roach, of Grayling, hit three home runs, knocked in 10 RBIs, and batted .526.

Ted May, of Lewiston, hit three home runs and batted .533. Dale Papendick, of Grayling contributed two home runs and batted .550. Mark Gohnick, of Grayling, added one home run and batted .550. Bruce Burkett, of Grayling, hit one home run and batted .529. Dwight Walker, of Lewiston, connected for a home run and batted .384.

Mike Money, of Grayling, batted .600 and scored five runs. Ron Metzger, of Grayling, batted .666 and scored two runs.

As a team, R & H batted .581 for the tournament collecting 114 hits in only 196 at bats. They averaged a home run every eight at bats.

Senior Citizen Homemaker & Personal Care Services

We are so happy to announce that we now have Myrtle McPhail on the Common Aging staff. This allows us to offer our Crawford County Senior Citizens a new very worthwhile service. Personal Care Services allows our homemakers, Sue Robinson & Esther Kuck, to do these services for you. They both have had the Personal Care training in Alpena and have their certificates. The services allowed are, hair care, foot care, bathing, finger nail care, oral care, assisting in dressing, change bedding, straighten bed, meal preparation & meal feeding assistance. The homemakers were never allowed to do these services until they had the training and we had a registered nurse on our staff to supervise them. We hope that anyone that needs these services will contact me. At this time you may call 348-2841, ext. 228 or 348-7284 and request these services and I will make an appointment with you for an evaluation.

We would also like to thank Florence Schalk for her many hours that she so willingly volunteered her very busy and valuable time and kept our Vial of Life Clinic going for the past four months. Florence is definitely a great asset to the nursing profession.

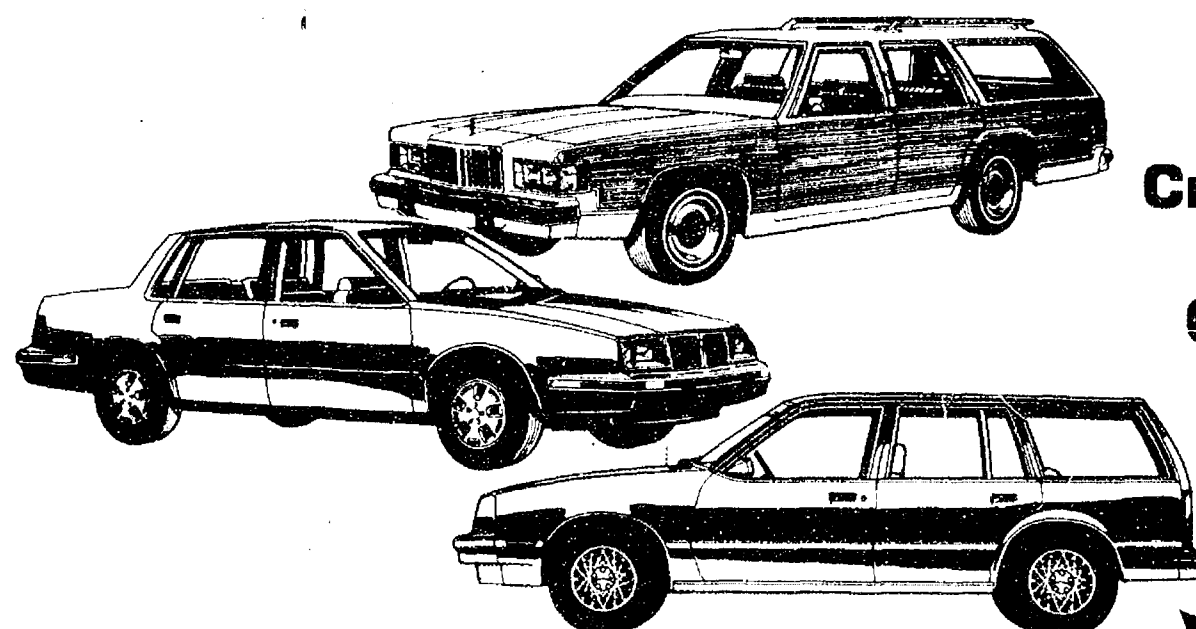
We also still have the Homemakers Services available to all Crawford County residents 60 years of age or older who are handicapped. Handicapped is defined as the inability to perform daily household tasks. There are no income requirements for this service.

Goals of Homemaker Services & Personal Care Services are to provide an alternative to institutional care (Nursing Home or Foster Care) to allow for shorter hospital stays or to remain at home in the event of illness or accident; and to provide a link with other community services, to better enable the client to maintain independence.

The services are as follows: light housekeeping, dusting, vacuuming, meal preparation, washing dishes, light laundry, occasional reading to clients who can't see, transportation and escort services if needed. Of course if you are able to ride Dial-A-Ride please do so as it is much less expensive.

Joyce Hankins
Homemaker Coordinator

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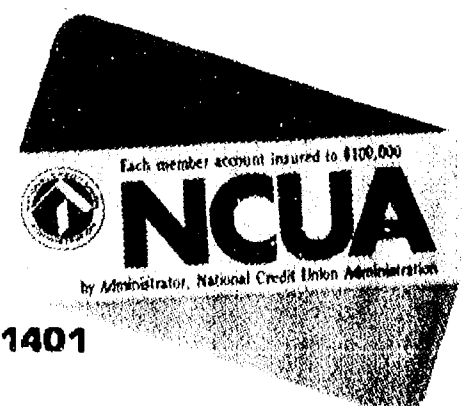
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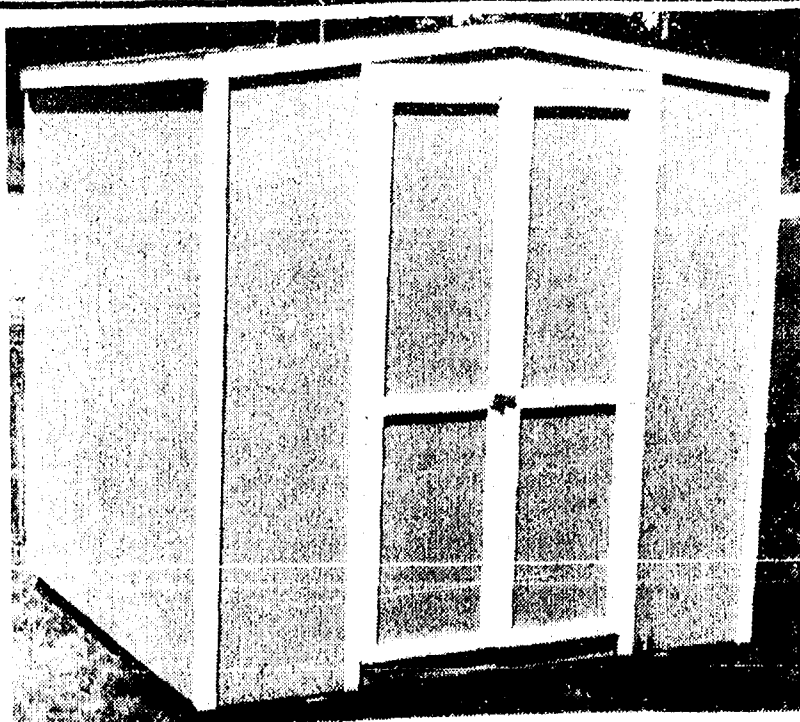
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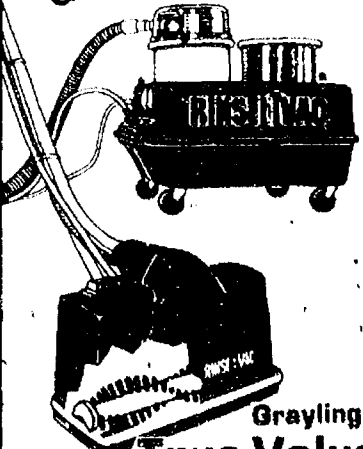
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Area Amateur Radio Club To Conduct "Ham" Classes For Beginners

The AuSable Valley Amateur Radio Club is pleased to announce that it will begin novice classes on Friday evening, September 21, 1984. The class sessions, which are 2 hours per meeting, will run for ten consecutive Friday evenings,

from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the courthouse annex in Mio, Mi. There is no charge for the course. There will be an approximate cost of \$10.00 for the instruction manual and code practice tape package required.

The twenty hours of instruction will prepare the student for entry into the exciting and rewarding hobby of "ham" radio. Many of your friends and neighbors who are hams now, got started by attending classes such as these.

Upon successful completion of this course, you will have qualified for a valid F.C.C. license that will allow you to communicate with the friendly worldwide amateur radio fraternity. Age and sex are no barrier. The fair sex is a growing segment of ham radio operators, and ages of hams range from about 5 years old to well over ninety.

If this hobby sounds interesting to you, or you would just like more information please call Melvin Moore at 517/348-8525.

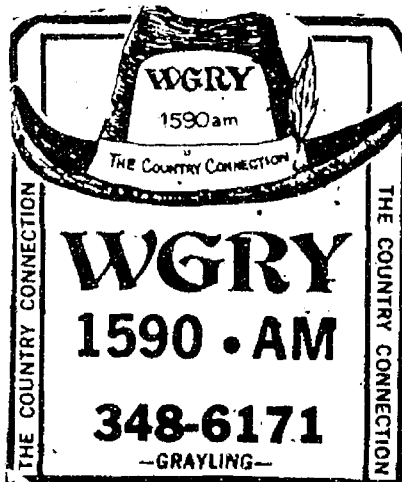
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Editor's Mailbox

Aug. 25, 1984

To The Editor:

Grayling is still a quiet little village in the north country, and will always be so as long as people like you write editorials like you write.

I am not a native, thank goodness. The jungle downstate that I come from is about the same size as Grayling. And, do you have proof that the bomb scare was perpetrated by someone other than a native? Most likely it was a prank played out by a native out of sheer boredom. As for the revenue those places lost, do natives rent rooms at Holiday Inn, Shoppenagons, etc. Not likely, as from what I have observed a great many of the natives are on some sort of welfare.

I would also like to comment on the fact that it was nobody from downstate that shot the deer in my backyard last fall, not during hunting season either.

Come on, Whitey, don't insult a good bird by calling your comic sheet a turkey!

I have been in my summer home since June and have had from two to six house guests all summer. These people ate a lot of food that was purchased in local stores or restaurants. They also shopped in the few stores in Grayling. I buy my cars, gas & service in your local businesses, I pay taxes here, don't have any kids in local schools, pay to have my garbage hauled. I hire a local lady as housekeeper and another local lady to do my cleaning, and a yard man. All money spent in your town by an outsider.

Incidentally, I don't have to lock my doors in the jungle town I come from, but in Grayling I have to have an alarm system on my house to protect my property.

Why don't you build a wall around your great little hamlet and keep us outsiders away? I guarantee you will see more empty stores than you have now, plus more deserted Hanson Hills and other things that bring the outsiders here.

Dorris Dannels
Grayling (on the AuSable)
P.S. Will I see this in the Avalanche? DOD

Dear Whitey,
I'm Mahlon E. Riker the unsuccessful Republican candidate in the primaries for District 7 Commissioner. I've made my home in Crawford County for the past 22 years, and have been a property owner and business person most of that time. I like it here or would not be concerned at the way things are done here in Crawford County.

At fifty years of age and never being a politician, I found it hard to ask people to support me in an election. Now after not letting the public know I would represent them eagerly, and effectively as Crawford County Commissioner in District 7 in the primary election. I'm launching an all out campaign as a write-in candidate. I feel the public should know I would be an effective commissioner.

Only knowing how Mr. Joyce, "The successful candidate in the primaries on the Republican ballot and unopposed by a Democrat", has pursued holding office as commissioner, and is now heading in a direction that he cannot be effective in any way sitting on the board of seven and telling all other commissioners, that we the people of Crawford County have elected, are unfit and unqualified to hold this very important office.

I'm not at this time debating Mr. Joyce's ideas. If I was to agree with all his goals, his ideas, his hopes, I would still give him this advice. Resign from being a candidate now, don't waste the taxpayers and the voters of Crawford County's efforts to elect someone who had no possibility of being effective in such an important office.

The board of commissioners which are elected from the separate districts within the county, do represent their district that they are elected from, but they do more than that, they effect the entire county when they have the opportunity to discuss an issue and then vote. I urge the entire county to let Mr. Joyce know he cannot be effective on the board of commissioners in Crawford County.

I'll need a lot of support from both the district 7 voters and from the entire county, write-in and sticker candidates are not known to prevail in elections. Only 1/3 of the voters have been heard from (in the primary) and second thoughts are expressed to me every day. I'm actively seeking the support of everyone to have me elected in November. We do need effective people in office, someone that has enough effectiveness to be able to discuss the very important county issues with open minds and not be fighting before the important items are up for discussion. No way can one person who is against everything on a seven member board do anything to help our county through the very serious problems of today. It would be constant turmoil.

I thank everyone for their support both in the primary and since.

Mahlon E. Riker

Military Order Purple Heart

The Military Order of the Purple Heart would like everyone to be aware that this is the last year for the \$1.00 membership, which will run out April 1985. They are located on South Wisconsin in Gaylord.

Anyone wishing to join contact Commander George Duffield at 517/732-4451 or 732-2020. Meetings are the first Wednesday of each month.

Beaver Creek Township Notice

Beaver Creek Township is now accepting bids for the snowplowing of township properties.

Specifications may be picked up at the Township Hall weekdays 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

All Bids must be submitted by September 10, 1984. The Township Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Cletis Spears, Supervisor

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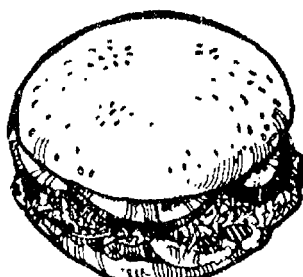
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MDA Telethon Ready Here

by Laurie Jensen,
P.R. Director

This coming Sunday and Monday are very important to many people not only in the Grayling area but all over America. The Jerry Lewis Telethon for Muscular Dystrophy is upon us.

Many people are counting on us in Grayling to help with this vital mission. Our support is what thousands of people are counting on. Without our help a cure cannot come for such a monstrous & deadly disease.

Grayling's American Legion Post 106 is the headquarters. When you stop down you will find a dance going on beginning Sunday night at 8:00. We will be having bands, disc jockeys and performers. All of these people are giving of their time and talent for this worthy cause. During the telethon different people as well as clubs and organizations will be having booths. We are having the dunk tank and I understand that there will be many in the tank that you would love to dunk!

There will be many, many people down at the Legion helping Jerry's Kid's. Many

people are going door to door to collect. For those of you that wish to go door to door stop in Wednesday between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

down at the Legion Hall where you can pick up your canisters and your extra special person packets.

Anyone that is manning the phones, licking envelopes or doing any other work with the telethon, you are asked to attend a meeting to get you ready to work the telethon this Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. down at the Post for a special orientation meeting.

Jerry's Kids need your help. Please give generously either by picking up your phone during the telethon or when someone stops at your door.

If you are interested in helping, please contact Shirley Mowrey at 348-7190. Remember, they need our help. Thanks for your support.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank Ms. Gay and the nurses and others at the Grayling Health Care Center for their help and thoughtfulness during my sister Margaret Challenger's illness and death.

Anne Olson

Troop 997

by E. Kemp

There is now two Boy Scout troops in Grayling. Lorne Goodale III has left Troop 997 to start Troop 979. Todd Pfaff and scouts Ron Bancroft and Jason Clark have transferred to 979. We would like to thank all of them for the many years of service that they have given to Troop 997.

Troop 997 will still meet at Hanson Hills. Meetings will start again on Monday, Sept. 10th from 7:00 till 8:30. Any boys that would like to join scouting are welcome to sit in at the meeting and see what scouting is all about.

Troop 997 sent Carl Ohsowski and Ron Bancroft to a troop leader training camp for one week at Bear Lake August 12th. The training consisted of teaching, learning, counseling, communicating plus numerous other categories. They learned how to cook a turkey outdoors and made various items that are useful in scouting. The knowledge that these scouts brought back will be very beneficial to their troops.

Congratulations go to Jeff Cowie who completed his Indianore Merit Badge, Steve Gross for his Swimming Merit Badge and Chris

Thompson for his Firemanship, Horsemanship and Communications Merit Badge.

To receive these Merit Badges a scout must go to a counselor that is qualified in teaching that Merit Badge. The badges consist of written and oral assignments plus projects that the scout must do. The counselors offer guidance and check all work done on the badge. After the scout has passed all requirements for the badge, the counselor signs his merit badge card. The card is then sent to counselor for approval.

Troop 997 would like to take this time to thank all of the counselors that have given their time and shared their knowledge with the scouts.

For information on becoming a scout or helping a scout please call Scoutmaster Dr. Barry Fenn 348-8706 or Evelyn Kemp 275-8445.

Right to Life

To Meet Sept. 12

The Crawford County Right to Life will hold a meeting on September 12th at 7:00, 709 Erie St. All are welcome.

Par For The Course

Mark your calendar for the Country Club Closing Party. Our "Fall Finale" dinner dance will be on Saturday, September 29th.

This will be a good opportunity to visit with some of your golfing friends before they leave for the south.

Social hour at 6:00 p.m. Dinner at 7:00 p.m. Dancing to follow.

You must have your tickets by Sept. 15th. Tickets will be available at the Country Club and from committee members. Guests are welcome. \$12.00 per person. More on this next week.

THANK YOU

We were forced to stop selling our vegetables on M-72 West across from Ole Dan Party store last week, so we would like to thank all you friendly people who stopped and bought produce from us. We sold there for many years and if we can possibly rent some property along there next year we will be back with our produce. If you have any space to rent, please call us, 348-5559.

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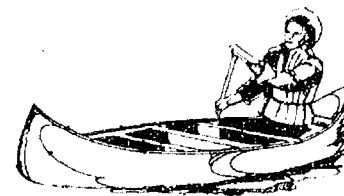
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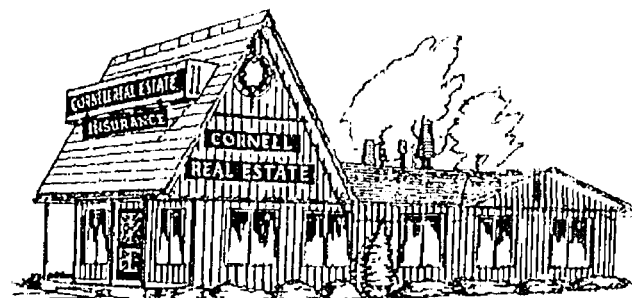
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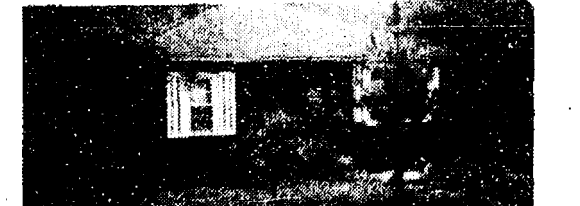
BC-3 - BEAUTIFUL 4 BEDROOM Home, 2 Baths, Basement, 2 Car Garage, Fireplace openings into Living Room and Master Bedroom, 4 Bedroom Guest Cabin and Log Cabin, many more extras, all on 38 acres with over 1/4 mile of River Frontage on 2 sides of the North Branch of the AuSable River, Shown by Appointment \$115,000 with Terms.



R-468 - AU SABLE RIVER FLIES ONLY WATER, 396 feet of Frontage, Quality Built 3 Bedroom Home, 2 Baths, Fireplace, Cathedral Ceilings, Anderson Windows (Thermo), Deck with Benches and Table, Screened-in Porch, outside floods, 4" well, Full Basement L/C Terms, \$98,500.



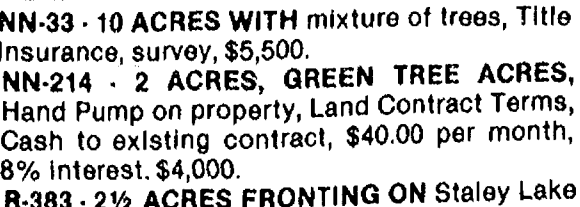
MC-71 - AU SABLE RIVER LOG CABIN, 2 Bedrooms, Basement, Guest Cabin, Artesian Well, 2 acres of land with 90 feet of Frontage on the River, Priced Right \$42,500 Land Contract Terms Available.



LM-473 - NORTH BRANCH OF THE AuSable (100 feet) (flashlight bend), 3 Bedrooms, Dock with Benches at the River bank, Furnished, \$39,900 L/C Terms.



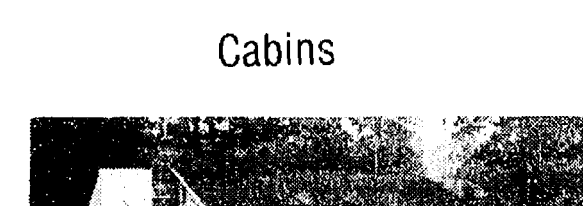
N-272 - MANISTEE RIVER, 432 feet of Frontage, 4 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Cathedral Ceilings, Jotul Wood Burner, Thermopane Windows, underground Sprinkler System, 2 Car Garage with Heated Workshop, set in a Hill with walkout lower level to the River \$79,500.



NN-33 - 10 ACRES WITH mixture of trees, Title Insurance, survey, \$5,500.
NN-214 - 2 ACRES, GREEN TREE ACRES, Hand Pump on property, Land Contract Terms, Cash to existing contract, \$40.00 per month, 8% interest, \$4,000.
R-383 - 2 1/2 ACRES FRONTING ON Staley Lake Road, \$3,750.
CH-53 - 2 1/2 ACRES, TIMBER TRAIL, Joins Federal Land, Power, \$3,800.
C-445 - 2.6 ACRES, US-27 to Frederic, Land Contract Terms, 20% down, 10% interest, Parcel C & D, \$3,300 each.
N-243 - APPROXIMATELY 2 ACRES, Under-ground power, Harwoods, \$3,500.



N-250 - PANORAMIC VIEW OF THE Manistee River looking from the deck of this Beautiful 3 Bedroom Home, 2 Baths, Large Living Room with cut stone Fireplace, 2 acres with over 300 feet of Frontage only \$69,500.



LM-472 - ONE BEDROOM 16 x 20 cement block Cabin, all the Modern Conveniences, Furnished, (\$2,000 Down, \$100 a month, 10% interest) Only \$8,500.



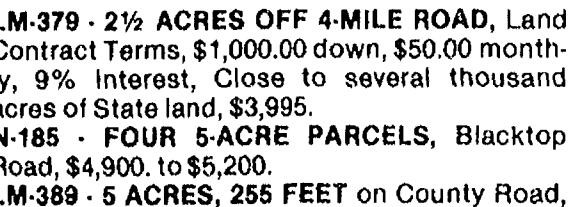
NN-136 - ONE ROOM 14 x 20 CABIN on 2 1/2 acres, fronts on County Rd. New Hot Water Tank, New Space Heater, \$12,500.



LM-461 - NEAT ONE BEDROOM CABIN on 1.5 acres near Jones Lake (20% down, \$100 a month, 11% interest) \$8,000.



CH-170 - LOG CABIN ON 3 ACRES, 2 Bedrooms, Bath, Close to the AuSable River and Kneff Lake \$17,500.



LM-379 - 2 1/2 ACRES OFF 4-MILE ROAD, Land Contract Terms, \$1,000.00 down, \$50.00 monthly, 9% interest, Close to several thousand acres of State land, \$3,995.
N-185 - FOUR 5-ACRE PARCELS, Blacktop Road, \$4,900. to \$5,200.
LM-389 - 5 ACRES, 255 FEET on County Road, Hardwoods, Adjoins State land, \$8,950.
N-257 - 5 ACRES WITH SMALL Storage Building, well and septic. \$5,750.
LM-446 - (TWO) SEVEN-ACRE PARCELS, Beaver Creek Township, Hardwoods and Pine on property, Will consider land contract, \$3,500. to \$4,000.

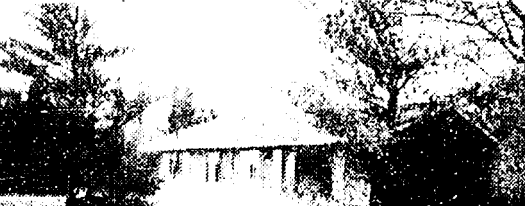
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NN-216 - ENERGY EFFICIENT 4 BEDROOM Home on 1.7 acres, 2 Baths, Cathedral Ceilings, Fireplace with openings to Dining & Living Room area, Wood Burner, Full Basement, Partially Furnished, Wolmanized Deck front and back, Swimming Pool, Solar Wall on south side of House and much more. \$77,500.



LM-460 - K.P. LAKE, 146 FEET of Frontage, 3 Bedrooms, 1 Bath, Screened Porch, New Roof, Includes Dock \$39,900.



N-278 - TIMBERIDGE ESTATES, 2 Bedroom Home, Large Lot, Thermopane Windows, Cable TV, Only \$30,500.



MC-5 - 8 ROOM HOME, 4 Bedrooms, Dining Room, Living Room, Large Kitchen, 30 x 23 Basement with 2 Stairways, one outside, 1 Car Garage. Lot 64 x 120, 1/2 Fenced. \$25,000.

River Vacant

N-250 - MANISTEE RIVER HIGH BANK, Cyclone Fenced, over 500 feet of Frontage, 1.89 acres, \$20,500. - L/C Terms

LM-418 - AU SABLE RIVER, 2 1/2 ACRES, 125 feet of Frontage, Building Site 6' above River (20% down - 10% interest) \$12,900.

MC-32 - NORTH BRANCH of the AuSable 4.7 acres, 173 feet of Frontage (25% down, 5 year payoff, 11% interest) \$21,900.

CH-164 - AU SABLE RIVER, 175 FEET of Frontage, 2.7 acres \$11,900.

R-433 - AU SABLE RIVER, 2.6 ACRES, 247 feet of River Frontage, Hardwood and Pine Trees \$19,500. L/C Terms.

ACREAGE

CH-63 - 10 ACRES, HAS WELL ON Property, adjoins State Land, County Road frontage, \$8,500.

C-348 - 10 ACRES IN GOOD HUNTING area, Adjoins State Land, \$4,950.

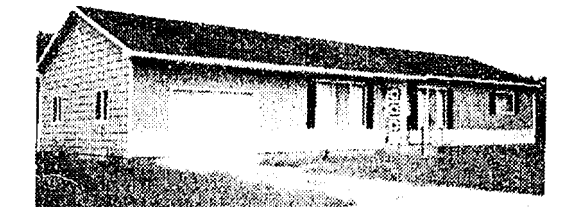
N-210 - 3 TEN-ACRE PARCELS, K.P. Drive, Close access to K.P. Lake, Hardwoods and Pine on property, \$5,500. each or best offer on all.

NN-186 - 10 ACRES, 853 x 675, fronts on County Road, Close access to AuSable River, \$8,900.

MC-26 - 10 ACRES, sloping terrain, Pine & Oak, \$6,500.



CH-184 - NEW CHALET ON Roberts Road, 3 Bedrooms, 2 Full Baths, Full Basement, Lovely Kitchen with Birch Cabinets, Nat'l Gas and Wood Heat, Built-in Bar, New Appliances, Sliding Glass Doors off Dining Room. Many Extras \$66,000.



CH-191 - 5 YEAR OLD HOME in Excellent Condition, Two Bedrooms, Gas Heat with Central Air Conditioning, Garage with door opener, Nicely wooded lot on County Blacktop Road, make an excellent Retirement Home, Lovells area, Immediate Occupancy, \$44,900.



NN-202 - SHERWOOD FOREST SUB.—This 4 Bedroom Quality Home is located in one of Grayling's finest areas. Two full Baths. 20 x 27 Family Room with Fireplace/Rec. Room. Extra Bedroom or Playroom in Basement. Large wooded lot affords privacy. Assumable mortgage with no balloon. Priced right at \$88,500.00



LM-474 - BRICK HOME, 3 BEDROOMS, 1 1/2 Baths, Nat'l Gas Hot Water Heat, New Roof - Water Heater - Some Floor Covering in 1983, (L/C - 20% down, \$450 monthly, 11% interest, 5 year pay-off) \$48,900.

Lake Properties

N-275 - CUB LAKE, 117 FEET of Frontage, sloping bank ideal for Walk-out Lower Level, \$17,400 L/C Terms.

LAKE MARGRETHE —One of a few lots available on the lake, Margrethe Manor Sub-division, large lot - Sandy Beach, L/C Terms.

MC-7 - 10 ACRES (square parcel), adjoins State Land, \$10,000.

CH-63 - 10 ACRES OFF Batterson Road, Adjoins State Land, has well on property, close to AuSable River, Land Contract terms will be considered, \$8,500.

N-273 - 10 ACRES on Sherman Road, Nice hardwoods, maple and oak, Possible land contract, \$8,500.

MC-8 - 6 TEN-ACRE PARCELS, Fronts on County Road, Pine trees, \$10,000.

N-213 - 20 ACRES, HOWES LAKE RD, one mile from AuSable River, Hardwoods. Abuts State Land, \$14,000.



C-489 - NEW (NOT LIVED IN) BRICK Home, 4 Bedrooms, 2 1/2 Baths, Full Basement, Hot Water Baseboard Heat, 2 Fireplaces, Utility Room, Family Room with Deck off doorwall, Large Bedrooms, Anderson Vinyl Clad Thermo Windows, 2 Car Garage, over 4 acres of wooded property, Priced Reduced to \$85,000.



N-274 - MAINTENANCE FREE, Aluminum Sided, 2 Bedroom Home, Full Basement, 2 Car Garage with cement drive, well for garden, Storage Shed, all for \$42,500.



CH-195 - 5 ACRES ON BLACKTOP ROAD Only 2 miles from town. Finished Basement with possible fourth Bedroom. 26' x 40' Pole Barn, 2 1/2 Car Garage, Home has redecorated, built-in Bar, wood burner, Cathedral Ceiling, Balcony off Master Bedroom. Owner Financing, \$69,900



R-458 - 3 BEDROOM HOME within close walking distance of town on a 120 x 207 lot, 2 Baths, Fireplace, Basement, Compactor, Gas Grill, Dog Pen, Nat'l Gas Hot Water Heat, \$55,000.

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MC-59 - A PARTY STORE that has everything ("The I Forgot Store") Liquor, Beer, Wine, Gasoline, Groceries, Candy, Magazines, Hardware, Fishing Supplies, etc. Good Terms Priced to Sell.

CH-186 - 40 ACRES OFF 5-MILE Road, Excellent hunting area, State land three sides, Land Contract Terms, 25% down, 11% interest, \$21,000.

MC-76 - 20 ACRES, AuSABLE Ken-Mar, Has well and pump on property, Land Contract terms, 20% down, 11% interest, \$18,000.

CH-111 - 16.78 ACRES, Pine & Hardwoods, \$10,000.

MC-19 - 30 ACRES, Abuts State Land, \$16,800.

CH-141 - 40 ACRES, STATE LAND on two sides, electric on property, includes two furnished cabins, \$21,500.

S-2 - 40 ACRES, Adjoins State Land, Fronts on black-top road, Mixed Harwoods, \$20,000.

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Chamber Chatter

By Joyce Kolka

The Membership Committee is preparing a campaign to visit prospective members for the Chamber. This is a good time of the year to pledge your support of the Chamber which is the "front-door" of the community. A visitor judges the attitude of the rest of the county by the way that they are treated and greeted by the staff of the Chamber. Our staff is trained to provide information about the area, provide maps and locations of attractions, give directions, and provide comfort and rest for the weary traveler. Our new brochure provides a membership list according to category of type of business or service. We have just received our shipment of 25,000 brochures, 12,000 of which are delivered to the State Highway Information Centers. This means that a member's home and place of business is mentioned 25,000 times to inquiring tourists and others interested in visiting the Grayling area.

The Chamber of Commerce, which is administered by all local people with the assistance of a professional staff, needs the support of the entire community. People, other than business and professional, use the Chamber facility to provide information and other printed material to their relatives and friends in other cities who want to know more about the Crawford County area. We have maps of camping grounds, cross country ski trails, snowmobile trails, recreational rentals, canoe livery and things to do and see. We have the ferry boat schedules to Mackinac Island, Beaver Island, Milwaukee and Manitowish, Wis.

We have 235 members, people who believe that the Chamber is a viable organization that protects and develops the interests of those who have a vested interest in the future of our community.

Chamber Memberships usually are \$10.00 per month for businesses, but are adjusted according to established formula for certain categories. There is another membership for retirees, ministers, and others who do not have inventory or payroll. This is the Associate Membership and is \$25.00 per year.

The Membership Committee will be calling you soon. If they don't, then call us - we'll respond. Call the Chamber office at 348-2921 or 348-7315.

Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 9/2-9/8/84

- ARIES**
Mar. 21-Apr. 19
Your are entering a period in life where others will look to you as the person in charge.
- TAURUS**
Apr. 20-May 20
Association with others is your key to progress, and each contact gives you a valuable lesson in life.
- GEMINI**
May 21-June 20
Changes in the way you approach the life work will come about, even to dress, diet, and mannerisms.
- CANCER**
June 21-July 22
An intriguing romance brings mysterious forces in to play. Be alert to one who has jealous tendencies.
- LEO**
July 23-Aug. 22
Demand and get control over your own affairs. Home life is apt to experience drastic changes.
- VIRGO**
Aug. 23-Sept. 22
Be selective in your choice of confidant. Baring your soul to the wrong person could have serious consequences.
- LIBRA**
Sept. 23-Oct. 22
A subtle change takes place and you seem to acquire a revised set of values. Spend our resources wisely.
- SCORPIO**
Oct. 23-Nov. 21
Vitality is high and you feel you must assert your independence. Your unique individuality shines through.
- SAGITTARIUS**
Nov. 22-Dec. 21
Adjustments on the inner level come about—an internal regeneration. Old habits are cast aside to make room for new.
- CAPRICORN**
Dec. 22-Jan. 19
It's time for some mental housecleaning. Old friendships that are no longer meaningful are discarded.
- AQUARIUS**
Jan. 20-Feb. 18
Contacts with one in a position of power is apt to bring about drastic changes in your professional life.
- PISCES**
Feb. 19-Mar. 20
Make up for lost time. You can achieve your educational goals but you must take that first step.

CHURCH DIRECTORY



FORGOTTEN FUN

At seven-forty in our town you could always find a dozen families down by the depot. It made the evening — just seeing the Queen roar by. That's what we called her, although the timetable with proper formality announced her as the "Queen of the Valley." And that she was! Every living soul thrilled to her whistle as she flashed by the grade crossings.

Why has train-watching become a forgotten fun? Did the trains change too much? Or did the people?

If there were a Queen due at seven-forty tonight, would we all be too busy to care?

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Scriptures selected by The American Bible Society	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Psalms	Romans	II Corinthians	Mark	Luke	Galatians	Mark
	69:1-36	13:1-7	11:16-33	3:13-30	9:18-27	6:1-10	3:7-12

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Prayer Meeting Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
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Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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Phone 348-4981 — Kingdom Hall
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Old US 27 at Skyline Rd. Ph. 348-8573

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Sunday Evening 7:00 p.m.
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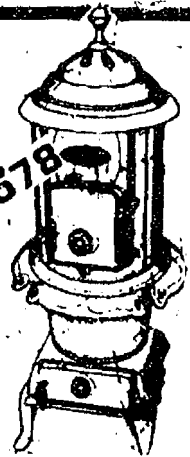
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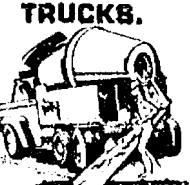
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La Leche League Meeting Notice

"The Advantages of Breastfeeding to Mother and Baby" will be the topic for discussion at the September meeting of the Grayling-Roscommon La Leche League. This is the first in a series of four discussion meetings. The meeting will be held on Thursday, September 6 at 7:30 p.m. at 11190 Stephan Bridge Rd., Roscommon.

La Leche League believes breastfeeding gives the best possible start in good mothering and helps to develop and deepen the close relationship between a mother and her child.

A series of meetings are held in members' homes, to acquaint those interested with the physical, practical, and psychological sides of breastfeeding.

Any woman interested in breastfeeding is welcome to attend. Expectant mothers are encouraged to attend the series before the baby arrives. Babies are always welcome. For further information, or for breastfeeding help, call Carolyn Crist at 275-8431.

Marijuana Users at Risk

People who smoke marijuana habitually run the risk of significantly damaging their respiratory tracts, according to researchers at the University of California, Los Angeles Center for the Health Sciences.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Avery J. Fishler and Elaine G. Fishler, his wife, Mortgages, to Michigan National Bank-Mid Michigan, a National Banking Association, Mortgagee, dated the 12th day of March, A.D., 1982, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 18th day of March, A.D., 1982 in Liber 204, on Pages 619-623, which said mortgage was modified by a Mortgage Modification Agreement (by Guarantor) dated July 7, 1983 and recorded on July 14, 1983 in Liber 217, page 133-134 Crawford County Records, and

WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage as of the date of this notice is the sum of One million four hundred ninety eight thousand six hundred fifty five and 31/100 (\$1,498,655.31), dollars, for principal and interest and, WHEREAS, no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and default having been made whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on THURSDAY the 20th day of September, 1984, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, local time, said mortgage will be foreclosed at a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the front Lobby of the County Building in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage with the interest thereon at the applicable note rate and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows: Property situated in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, to wit:

SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Section 5, T26N, R2W, and N 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 7, T26N, R2W, and NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 8, T26N, R2W, all in Grayling Township, Crawford County, ALSO Commencing at the SW corner of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, thence E 400 feet on S 1/8 line, thence N to S bank of AuSable River, thence W along said bank to the W section line, thence S on said section line of POB, Section 5, T26N, R2W, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

Take notice that the period of redemption, pursuant to M.S.A. 27A.3240 shall be one year from the date of said sale.

Dated: August 15, 1984.

MICHIGAN NATIONAL BANK-MID MICHIGAN, Mortgagee

CHARLES A. FORREST, JR. Attorney at Law

8145 South Saginaw Street

Grand Blanc, MI 48439

Telephone: (313) 694-7200

-16-23-30-6-13-

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made on the 18th day of March, 1982, by RICHARD I. TEMPLETON and NICHOLA LEE TEMPLETON, Husband and Wife, as Mortgagors, recorded on the 22nd day of March, 1982, in Liber 206, page 06 through 08, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice the sum of FORTY FIVE THOUSAND ELEVEN and 34/100 (\$45,011.34) DOLLARS, plus interest and other allowable costs;

Further, no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of September, 1984, at 10:00 in the forenoon at the main front door of the Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said County, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, with interest thereon at eighteen (18%) per cent, together with legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the land and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows:

Being part of the Northwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 17, Town 26 North, Range 3 West, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan described as: Commencing at the North 1/4 corner of said Section 17, thence South 1 degree 44 minutes West, 280.5 feet, thence South 1 degree 44 minutes West, 100 feet, thence South 89 degrees 58 minutes 20 seconds East, 280.5 feet, thence North 1 degree 44 minutes East, 100 feet to the Point of Beginning.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount bid at the sale, plus interest thereon at eighteen (18%) per cent, and any fees, taxes, or other unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

The property shall be offered for sale in parcels or in total.

NORTHERN NATIONAL BANK, Mortgagee

WILLIAM L. CAREY (P-31602) Attorney for Northern National Bank

114 Michigan Avenue

Grayling, MI 49738

Ph: (517) 348-5232

-16-23-30-6-

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN In The Circuit Court For The County of Crawford File No. 84-6840 CH

Crawford County acting through Crawford County Housing & Community Development, Plaintiff

vs William R. Robinson and Ruth Robinson, Defendant

David R. Sabin (P19822) Attorney for Plaintiff

NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Order of Sale entered by the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, State of Michigan Acting Through Crawford County Housing and Community Development, Plaintiff, and against William R. Robinson and Ruth Robinson, Defendants, I shall offer to sell to the highest bidder at the Crawford County Court-house, Grayling, Michigan on the 19th day of September, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. the following described property:

PARCEL "B": Being a part of the E 1/4 of Section 19, T26N, R2W, described as: commencing at the SE corner of said Section 19; thence N89°29'20" W on the Section line, 663.5 feet to the point of beginning; thence N89°29'20" W, 331.75 feet; thence N0°10'45"E, 328.6 feet; thence S89°29'20"E, 331.79 feet; thence S0°11'10" W, 328.6 feet to the point of beginning and contains 2.502 acres of land.

SUBJECT TO an easement for ingress and egress and installation and maintenance of public utilities over the Southerly 33.0 feet thereof. Survey recorded Book 188, Pages 57 and 58, EXCEPTING AND RESERVING all oil, gas and mineral rights of every kind and nature and all rights pertaining thereto. Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Elizabeth H. Wieland David R. Sabin, P.C. Attorney for Plaintiff

-26-2-9-16-23-30-

The Avalanche — Your Want Ad Paper

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN In The District Court For The County of Crawford FAYE B. BOGIN, JAMES C. JOYCE and MANUFACTURERS NATIONAL BANK OF DETROIT, as Co-Executors of the Estate of MILTON L. MARSHALL, Deceased, Plaintiff.

vs THOMAS J. BRYAN and SHELIE L. BRYAN, Defendant.

File No.: L&T-84-024 ORDER TO ANSWER At a session of said Court held in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, on the 6th day of August, 1984.

PRESENT: HONORABLE FRANCIS L. WALSH DISTRICT COURT JUDGE.

The Plaintiffs in this action having filed a Petition for Order to Answer by Publication Pursuant to D.C.R. 106, said Petition being supported by an Affidavit, and it appearing that on the 12th day of June, 1984, an action was filed by Plaintiffs, against Defendants, Thomas J. Bryan and Shelle L. Bryan, in this Court and cause, to forfeit on a Land Contract, dated the 16th day of June, 1978, said property being described as:

Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan: The West One half (1/2) of the Southwest one-quarter (1/4) of Section 1, Township 26 North, Range 3 West, Crawford County, Michigan.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant, THOMAS J. BRYAN, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law, on or before the 11th day of September, 1984. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against said Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court and cause.

HONORABLE FRANCIS L. WALSH DISTRICT COURT JUDGE PREPARED BY: GRACE DOPP WEGNER (P 10903) Attorney for Plaintiffs

306 State Street

P.O. Box 708

Grayling, Michigan 49738

-9-16-23-30-

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Duane G. Swift and Diane S. Swift, his wife, of Rt. 2, Box 2714-B, Grayling, Michigan, 49738, Mortgagors, to the Grayling State Bank, a Michigan Corporation, of Grayling, Michigan, 49738, Mortgagee dated June 24, 1981, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 26th day of June, 1981, in Liber 197, of Crawford County Register on page 564, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this action for principal and interest, the sum of Twenty-Seven Thousand, Two Hundred Eighty-Two and 93/100 Dollars (\$27,282.93).

AND NO SUIT or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan, in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of October, 1984, at 10:00 A.M. said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Crawford County Building, in the City of Grayling, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at 13.50 per cent, per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including real estate taxes which may be paid by the undersigned necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Said premises are described as follows: State of Michigan, Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, to wit:

The West 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 1, Town 26 North, Range 3 West.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale.

Dated: August 6, 1984.

Emil L. Kraus, Attorney for Mortgagee

228 Michigan Ave.

Grayling, Michigan 49738

The Grayling State Bank, Mortgagee

-9-16-23-30-

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Community Calendar of Events

Sept. 3 - Labor Day
 Sept. 8 - Grayling Alumni Banquet - Knights of Columbus Hall
 Sept. 10 - Free Blood Pressure Clinic 3:30-7:30 Mercy Hospital & Red Cross
 Sept. 11 - Crawford-AuSable Parents Group Film Presentation & Charter - County Building 7:30 p.m.
 Sept. 13 - Grayling Little League Meeting 7:00 p.m. MATES
 Sept. 13 - Hospital Auxiliary Meeting 1:30 Mercy Hospital

Phone in your public events to: 348-2921.
 Join the crowd and support your local activities!!!

GRAYLING Regional Chamber of Commerce

2nd Christmas Home Tour Set

Plans for Grayling's Second Annual Christmas Home Tour have begun with a Committee working under the leadership of Ernie Dawson, and the help of Diane Christman, Marion Welsh, Bob Cole, Betty Bennett, and Ruth Steffe.

A date of Sunday, December 2nd has been set for the tour. The committee is in the process of selecting homes and working out schedules with both homeowners and Terry Dickinson who will again do the beautiful sketches for the program.

The committee is hoping that by setting the date early they will avoid conflicts with other Christmas activities and give people the opportunity to go on the tour this year. Last year there were several conflicting activities.

Be sure to mark December 2nd on your calendar for the Second Annual Grayling Christmas Home Tour.

To Hold Hunter Safety Course

A Hunter Safety course will be held on September 5th, 10th and 12th from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Grayling Middle School. Enrollment will be limited to the first 25 young hunters 12 to 16 years old who sign up at the Grayling DNR Field Office (348-6371).

Hanson Park

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with another \$115 in pledges.

Debbie Callahan, representing a citizens committee, turned in petitions with more than 200 names supporting a half-mill in the city and township or a quarter-mill in the county.

Also at the meeting the board voted unanimously to take over manager duties of the park. A contract with manager Howard Taylor had ended earlier this year and the board had no money to rehire Taylor. He was working for no pay but informed the board with two sons in college he had to accept a paying position in town. The board will take over manager duties until the November vote. If the millage passes, the board will advertise for a manager then and Taylor said he could apply for the job then if he wanted to. The board thanked Taylor for his hard work and long hours and VanDeVen said the park never would have survived this long without Taylor's dedication.

Bowling Notices

Bowlers needed for Thursday night 9 o'clock shift, 3 man teams. Call Patsy Pittman 348-7232 or Jackie Hultgren, 348-5582.

OPEN BOWLING, August 30th-31st, 4:00 p.m. until midnight. September 1, 2, 3, 4:00 p.m. until midnight.

BOWLERS NEEDED-The Thursday Morning Coffee League is starting their season Sept. 6, 9:30 a.m. at the Legion Bowling Lanes. Anyone wanting to bowl or to start a team are urged to be there on above date.

Sec. B. DeHart

1st National Division, Thursday, August 30th at 7:00 p.m., Legion Lanes.

Announce Marriage

Toni Nielson, formerly of Grayling, now of Romulus, wishes to announce the marriage of her son Mike to Debbie Moomaw on August 4, 1984.

Mike's brother, Tim was Best Man, Debbie's sister, Katherine Wertz was Matron of Honor.

Out of town guests were: Mike's grandmother, Florence Stephan, Uncle & aunt, Lacey, Jr. & Carol Stephan all of Grayling; Uncle & aunt Ralph & Cynthia Hanna with grandson from Traverse City, and Toni's friend, Clare Jakee of Southfield.

The new Mr. and Mrs. Nielson will reside at 9342 Tobine in Romulus.

Killed the Dinosaurs

Some scientists are convinced that the extinction of the dinosaurs 65 million years ago was caused by the impact of a comet or asteroid, which disturbed the atmosphere and kicked up so much debris that it obscured the sun. The resulting darkness and cold were lethal to the dinosaurs and many other life forms.

We Need You!

Summer is rapidly becoming a nice memory for another year and that of course means that shortly our schools will again be opening.

The Volunteer Aide Program of the Crawford AuSable School District is now starting its 14th year. In the past we have continued to grow in rank and last year numbered 90 volunteers. We would like to have as many if not more who could give some of their time & talents to enable us to again have another successful year.

Remember, we cannot do it without your help! The time you give enables the teachers and staff to concentrate on the job of educating our young people. The tasks you perform give us that extra time needed. Volunteers are men and women from all walks of life and vary in age. Many of them do not even have children in the school system at this time but see the need in helping our young students in so many ways. If you have ever volunteered in the past then you know the reward of helping a child learn something they may not have grasped before and above all - the smiles.

There are so many different duties that can be performed; helping children on a one-to-one basis, correcting papers, running off dittos, working on bulletin boards, help make up art projects, special day activities, field trips, library aide, and many more. Some volunteers have come in to pop popcorn so that the children could earn money for their classes. Last year one lady helped the Frederic Elementary 5th grade class put out a monthly newspaper. There are no limits to what you can contribute if you want to join us. It can be as little or as much as your time will allow.

So, if you would like to join us in our volunteer program or wish more information, please contact Mrs. Wolf at 348-7641 ext. 52.

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Par For The Course

Winners for golf for the Wednesday Auxiliary on August 15 were Jeannette Kitchen with 33 for low net in Flight A, June Schwarz with a 34 in B, and Joyce Sorenson with a 37 in C. Low putts were won by Corrine Smith with 13 in Flight A, Phyllis Scheer with 14 in B, and Evelyn Sager and Barb Nielson with 15 each in C. Birds were dropped in by Mabel Gothro on No. 4 and Carol Thompson on No. 4. Fay Bovee scored a chip-in on No. 6.

The Monday Night League held their final party on Monday, August 27, with twenty-three women there and the weather cooperating - rain was predicted. The most improved on the finger scores was Gladys Stadler and Kathy Garbe. Chip-ins were scored by Betty Stephenson on No. 2, Joyce Sorenson on No. 5, and Lucille Bagrosky on No. 5.

It was "wear-a-hat" night and Treva McClanahan won for the best hat, Betty Stephenson for the most creative hat, Alice Quest and Rhea Gierke for the silliest hat, and Sue Brenner for the prettiest hat. Besides the hat prizes, all members received a gift.

Officers for the 1985 season will be Agnes Carlisle as president, Alberta Wiggins as vice-president, and Lucille Bagrosky as secretary-treasurer.

Following golf a delicious dinner of beef ribs, tossed salad, beans and cherry pie was served. This was preceded by hors d'oeuvres, all prepared by the club staff.

As long as the weather holds, there will be golfing on Monday night and the sign-up sheet is posted at the club.

Prause Patient at U.M. Hospital

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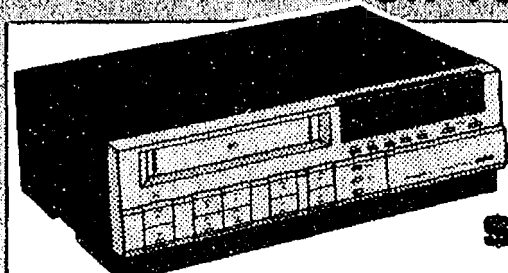
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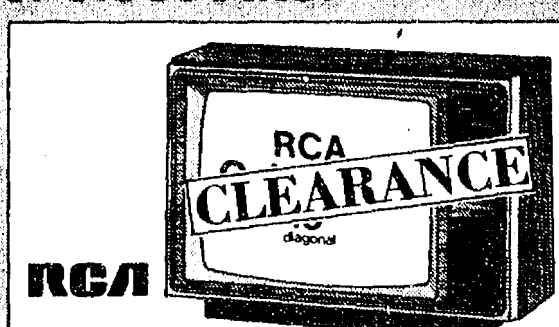
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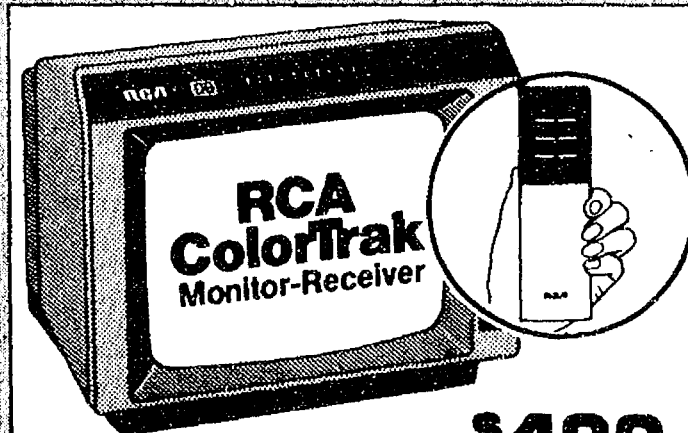
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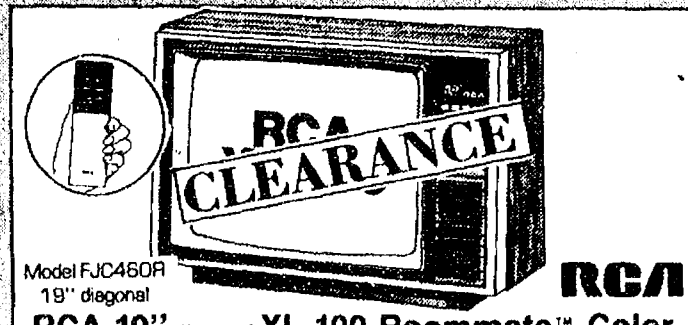
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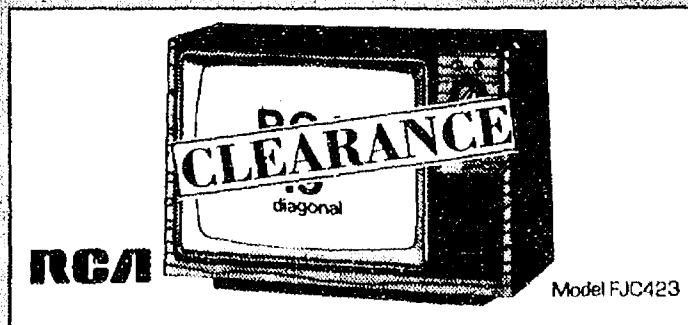
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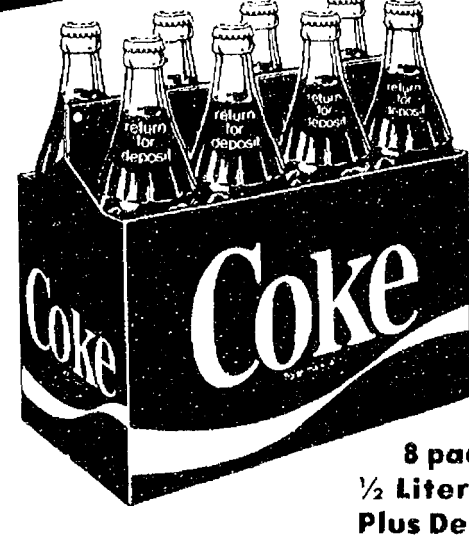
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